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Gompers Martyr To Labor's Cause

Aged A. F. of L. Head Lived Life Full of Service to Workingman.

[illegible] Dec. 13—(AP)—Samuel [illegible] endeavored to give to [illegible] the American [illegible] at El Paso, Tex., [illegible] same type of [illegible] leadership he [illegible] the councils of the or[illegible] more than forty years [illegible]

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JOVIAL AGAIN

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[illegible] one ambition [illegible] said from the [illegible] convention [illegible] to be of [illegible] Nothing [illegible] of man as service [illegible]

HIS IRISH FRIEND

On another occasion Gompers in[illegible] a funny [illegible] Irish friend in Wash[illegible] to call him on the [illegible] matters and [illegible] to the amuse[illegible] friends."

[illegible] Kelly sputtering [illegible] pace and they all [illegible] his story con[illegible]

TOOK PRECAUTIONS.

[illegible] wish to make no conces[illegible] advanced age during the [illegible] Gompers was persuaded [illegible] to relinquish the chair [illegible] questions to one [illegible] and go to his hotel [illegible] couch or to nap [illegible] One day during the [illegible] of the convention he [illegible] to speak at [illegible] giving as his [illegible] would be com[illegible] between the morning and afternoon sessions of the conven[illegible]

The [illegible] of the American dele[illegible] the Rio Grande river to Juarez [illegible] meeting with the Mexican [illegible] of Labor con[illegible] Nov. 15 gave President Gompers [illegible] to stand [illegible] concessions to [illegible] insisting up[illegible] the Mexican city on foot [illegible] Mexican leaders had marched [illegible] the day before, Gompers [illegible] to motor to the Ti[illegible] Juarez. He rode the Mexican side of the international bridge [illegible] street cars and then [illegible] into the procession, under the Mexican and American flags to the [illegible]

STARTED IN 1881

Mr. Gompers alluded to his long [illegible] the federation in his for[illegible] the convention. In [illegible] advance to the [illegible] of voluntary action in labor [illegible] he reminded the con[illegible] he spoke as "the only dele[illegible] to that first Pittsburgh con[illegible] (in 1881) who has stayed with the problems of our movement through to the present hour

Thus President Gompers was the only person in the convention who frankly gave utterance to his thoughts on overshadowing consider[illegible] in the [illegible] namely the state of Mr. Gompers health

At another point Gompers said in [illegible] annual message

SAW THE END

"Events of recent months have made me keenly aware that the time not far distant when I must lay

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Three Men In Line to Take Gompers Place

New York Dec 13—(AP)—The man to succeed Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor is expected in labor circles here to be chosen from three men all present members of the executive council

They are William Green secretary-treasurer, United Mine Workers of America, Mathew Woll, for the last 15 years president of the International Photo Engravers' union, and Thomas Rickett president of the United Garment Workers James Duncan, first vice president of the Federation of Labor, former head of the Granite Workers' union may receive some consideration

WHITE HOUSE SYMPATHY.

Washington, Dec 13—President Coolidge sent the following message to Mrs Samuel Gompers

It is with great regret that I have heard of your bereavement and I wish to express to you my deep sympathy in your sorrow. Mr Gompers whose life was devoted to the interests of organized labor until his name has become almost synonymous with the cause which he represented As a founder and head of a great organization no man has had a wider influence in shaping of the policy of the wage earners of the nation and his loss will long be felt by his associates not only at home but abroad"

NEW FAVORS BOOST IN POSTAL RATES

Wants Increase in All but Letter Class.

Washington, Dec. 13—Increases in postal rates on virtually all classes of mail except letter mail, were recommended to congress today by Postmaster General New.

In a letter to Senator Sterling chairman of the senate postoffice committee, Mr. New recommended rate advances to yield $56,390,750 a year, approximately covering the additional costs provided for in the vetoed postal employes pay increase bill

ON NEWSPAPERS

On second class mail consisting entirely of newspapers and periodicals the postmaster general asked for an increase in rates designed to yield $10,376,000.

The rate on post cards would be increased from the present one cent to one and one-half cents yielding an additional $12,500,000.

On fourth class matter parcels post the increases would amount to about $12,000,000.

On third class matter, which is largely circulars and direct mail advertising rates would be increased to produce $18,000,000.

OTHER INCREASES

Registered letters $4,000,000
Money orders $3,500,000
Postal insurance $3,058,000.
Collect on delivery $1,103,000

Before the postmaster general's recommendations were transmitted to Senator Sterling a third effort to fix a date for a senate vote on the employes' pay bill, vetoed at the last session by President Coolidge, had failed

FINE WISCONSIN MEN $200 EACH

Centralia Ill, Dec 13—William J Miller and Jack Bowers, both of Green Bay, Wis, were fined $200 and costs each in police court here late today upon entering pleas of guilty to possession of six hundred quarts of champagne and Scotch whisky when arrested today. After paying these fines the men were taken to Salem to be arraigned in county court on a state charge of liquor law violation.

There their fines were pushed up to $1,300 and costs

GERMAN CABINET TO QUIT MONDAY

Berlin Dec 13.—Chancellor Marx, at a meeting with Socialist leaders this afternoon announced that the cabinet would resign Monday

RUM SMUGGLERS KILL INSPECTOR

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 13.—Liquor smugglers, in ambush on the banks of the Rio Grande, shot and killed Immigration Inspector Frank Clark Inspector Clark was on duty with Herbert Brown, another inspector, who was fired upon but not injured.

The Day in Washington.

The Blue Ridge of Virginia was selected as a national park site for the eastern part of the country.

The Chamber of Commerce of the U. S. urged President Coolidge to consider an economy conference.

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The house committee which framed the naval appropriation bill reported no ground for alarm that "our naval prestige is rapidly waning"

Maj.-Gen. Patrick, chief of the army air service, told a house committee army aircraft now used were obsolescent.

The house shipping board committee was told the board held claims aggregating $117,000,000 on which it estimated only $5,000,000 could be collected.

Secretary Wilbur's testimony before the house appropriations committee disclosed his opinion the United States would have spent $110,000,000 annually for 20 years to maintain a navy equal to Great Britain and superior to Japan.

COOLIDGE WANTS ORDERS KEPT

Tells Subordinates He Expects Policies Carried Out.

BY HARDEN COLFAX.
(Copyright 1924)

Washington, Dec 13—President Coolidge is making it plain to some of his subordinates that he expects them to carry out energetically Coolidge policies during the next four years

Prior to election the President had regarded himself largely as the legatee of the Harding policies and endeavored to carry them out in accordance with the ideas of the late president But since the voters have spoken, Mr Coolidge has taken over actively the direction of governmental affairs in his own right and according to his own lights

BUSINESS INTERESTS

Especially has this been the case with respect to those branches of the government having daily and intimate contact with the business interests of the country and with law enforcement

The president has imparted the idea that there is to be no persecution of business while he sits in the White House. At the same time he has made it plain that there is to be no letup in the prosecution of business interests that wilfully or deliberately violate the law

DRY LAWS

Also the President has shown new zeal for prohibition enforcement He has told callers that he expects to see the prohibition laws enforced Subordinates who are unwilling to support him loyally in this policy probably will meet with much the same treatment as that meted out recently to the federal attorney at Boston who was summarily removed from office.

The federal trade commission has been the target of many attacks from business interests who have assailed its manner of administering the law.

Recently the newly elected chairman of the commission, Vernon W Van Fleet, was closeted with the President at the White House. What was said has not been disclosed of course, but some of the business interests which complained loudly have ceased their clamor

NEW POLICIES

Again, after the election there sprung into the realm of public discussion a new policy for the shipping board and emergency fleet corporation. Coupled with it was talk of the President's personal secretary, E. T. Clark, assuming an active part in the direction of the government's merchant marine Mr Clark however, is to stay at his present post, and reports are current that officials of the shipping board and fleet corporation have come into line with the Coolidge policies

A particularly difficult problem for the President to solve is that presented by the tariff commission. That branch of the government of vital concern to many lines of American business, has virtually ceased to function Its membership is hopelessly split, three and three. It seems unable to agree on anything.

The President is expected by many observers to change this situation shortly.

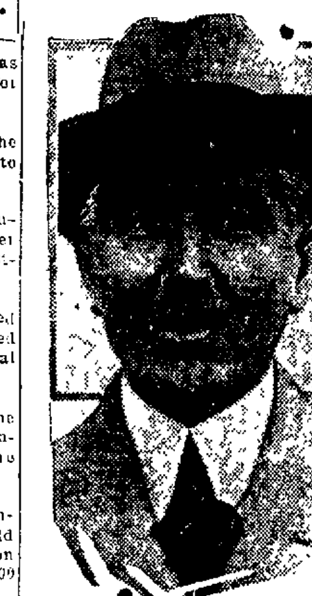
Changes in the personnel seem to be the only answer.

TWO BLASTS ROCK BUILDING; 6 HURT

Chicago, Dec. 13—Four young women and two men were injured, none seriously, when two explosions today rocked a seven-story building in the Market Street garment shop district, the scene of recent labor riots Norman Shraiberg, brother of Irving Shraiberg, owner of a dress factory on the sixth floor, and Joseph Magdison were arrested.

The injured: Clara Borth, Anna Moravek, Mrs Mark Wilberg, Helen Synotacher, Benjamin Schiffman, and Irving Shraiberg.

IRISH ENVOY



Ireland today has its own diplomatic representation in the United States Prof. T. A. Smiddy new Free State minister, has assumed his duties in Washington

BORAH READY FOR CAMPAIGN PROBE

Has Documents Bearing on "Mystery."

Washington, Dec. 13—Having come into possession of documents bearing on the 'mystery' story of campaign expenditures, related by two Chicago men, Chairman Borah, of the senate investigating committee, said today he would call the committee together early next week to consider the matter.

These documents are the ones Samuel Untermyer, New York attorney who assisted in prosecuting the pre-election inquiry of the committee, presented at the Chicago inquiry.

WERE INTRODUCED.

The documents came into the possession of Mr Untermeyer while the senate committee was sitting in Washington last October. It was the understanding at that time that two telegraph operators had identified them as messages they had seen, Mr. Untermeyer said he did not care to spread the evidence on the record without further substantiation because of the possible effect on the Republican campaign, and asked that the committee bear witnesses in executive session This, the committee refused to do

There the matter rested until the Chicago end of the hearing was reopened Mr Untermyer produced the documents at Chicago and handed them to Mr Butler, but when the national committee chairman testified that he had never heard of the matter before they were withheld from the records of the hearing.

BACKS UNDERWOOD IN INVESTIGATION

Demands Probe of Paper's Editorial.

Washington Dec 13—Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, today obtained unanimous consent of the senate to have senate investigation of statements made about the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill and himself in an editorial appearing in today's issue of the Washington Herald

The editorial was referred to the judiciary committee which was given authority to subpoena the author of the editorial and other persons to "get at the bottom of the charges"

CLAIM INFLUENCE

The Alabama senator and former Democratic floor leader declared the newspaper had charged him with having been influenced in preparation of his bill by the Alabama Power company and with yielding to corporate influence in his public life.

He replied that the inference was "a lie" and said he believed "the editorial was purchased by the interests who are trying to gobble this power' at Muscle Shoals

Annual Gridiron Dinner Has Usual Mirth, Frolic

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13—(AP)—The Gridiron diners had their winter frolic tonight to the accompaniment of mirth and music in which public men and officials came in for the usual good-natured roasting over the gridiron of this oldest of Washington newspaper correspondents

Gathered at the banquet table as guests, as heretofore, were President Coolidge, members of the cabinet, of congress, the diplomatic set, several governors of states and men prominent in the business and professional life of the country

HONOR JUSSERAND

As a graceful interlude the club presented to the retiring French ambassador, Jules J. Jusserand, doyen of the Washington corps, a decoration in the form of a large golden gridiron similar to the one it presented to "Uncle Joe" Cannon on the occasion of his retirement from congress.

Sandwiched in between the skits of comedy and music were speeches Under the rule of the club none may be published Among them were remarks by President Coolidge, Ambassador Jusserand Senator Butler of Massachusetts and Gov Alfred E Smith of New York

THE CAMPAIGN

The presidential campaign of course, furnished the material for much of the entertainment. An auctioneer opened the proceedings by offering to the highest bidders "the greatest accumulation of election remnants in history." Impersonators of John W Davis, Senator LaFollette, Chairman Butler of the Republican national committee, Chairman Shaver of the Democratic national committee, William G McAdoo, Mangus Johnson and Theodore Roosevelt, defeated candidate for governor of New York

"The proceeds of this political rummmage sale" announced the auc-

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SEES NO FEAR OF OUR LOSING SEA POWER

House Committee Not Worried Over 5-5-3 Ratio.

Washington, Dec. 13—The controversy as to whether the American navy is fit to fight found new fuel today with the publication of confidential testimony given to a House committee during the preparation of the annual naval supply bill.

The committee itself reported to congress that it did not feel "the country need be alarmed" that "our naval prestige is rapidly waning"

$110,000,000 ANNUALLY.

Accompanying this report was an official transcript of the testimony of Secretary Wilbur that the government must spend $110,000,000 annually for the next twenty years for new construction if the navy is to be maintained on an equal footing in all branches with that of Great Britain and superior to that of Japan.

The committee's observation and the secretary's statement went to the House along with the naval appropriation bill proposing nearly three hundred million dollars to take care of the existing establishment and construction heretofore authorized.

MUST GET FACTS

Information coming thus from the hitherto sealed doors of the House committee served to increase the determination of those in congress who are insisting that there must be a thorough-going investigation to get all the facts with regard to the condition both of the naval establishment and of the fighting fleet.

Coincident with the developments in the naval controversy at the capitol on the army air service, it was disclosed that the recent bombing of the uncompleted super-dreadnaught Washington had demonstrated that ships being scrapped under the Washington arms treaty craft could withstand attacks from the present-day airplanes.

FOR 1926

For the fiscal year 1926 exclusive of the amount which would be required to start the twenty-year building program, Secretary Wilbur's report said $37,361,500 should be expended to carry out work already authorized by congress. This proposed expenditure would include $23,894,000 to complete two aircraft carriers and fleet submarines under construction and to provide half of the $20,935,000 required to modernize six battleships, afford under-water protection to seven others and construct six river gunboats

In order that the treaty ratio for capital ships be attained in all types of combat craft, the report said, the eight light cruisers already authorized should be started in the fiscal year, 1926, and four additional light cruisers in 1925

ALREADY AUTHORIZED

"Five fleet submarines already authorized, one aircraft carrier, and one floating drydock not yet authorized," it added, "should be authorized and commenced in the fiscal year 1926.

"The cost of the eight cruisers provided for," the report continued, "will be about $16,500,000 apiece; the submarines about $6,000,000 apiece; one aircraft carrier $23,000,000; one floating drydock, $7,500,000, a grand total of $132,500,000, of which amount $62,000,000 should be available for the first year To this should be added the cost of aircraft, about $20,000,000, for the first year"

PREMIER HERRIOT GAINING GROUND

Paris, Dec. 13—(AP)—Premier Herriot continued to show improvement tonight He has been suffering for several days from grippe, with inflammation in the leg, but the latest announcement from the sick room indicated that his temperature is getting near to normal, and that the inflammation has decreased.

DEM CHIEF

Finis J. Garrett, Democratic floor leader of the House of Representatives, was snapped at the Capitol just before the opening of the second session of the sixty-eighth congress

SOLID SOUTH HAS PROTESTS OVER DEMOS

Small Hears Entirely New Spirit After the Election.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL.
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Houston, Texas, Dec 13—Traveling through the southland, the political observer hears much that it interesting and more that is significant as to the future of the Democratic party. The last two presidential elections have shown that the south is about the only part of the country to which the Democracy may look for anything like consistent support from a national point of view

The real danger to the Democracy the real difficulty of arranging anything like a reorganization scheme would appear to be the fact that the Democratic politicians of the south have lost touch with their own people. Certainly this is true with the southern business man It is a serious thing indeed to the Democracy when a Texas audience will cheer a man who while proclaiming himself a lifelong Democrat says he is more than pleased with the result of the last election

HEAR PROTESTS

It is a serious reflection upon what the politicians have come to regard as a fundamental policy of the Democratic party to find Texas cattle growers, Texas lumbermen and Texas wool growers meeting, and condemning Democratic proposals for low tariff duties of free trade in these three great American products

Soon after the election this correspondent pointed out that the Democrats had lost so much ground in the north and east because they had insisted by platform declarations and campaign speeches upon threatening business with drastic tariff changes. It was pointed out that American business during its period of greatest expansion, had accustomed and adapted itself to a certain degree of protection, and that business interests always would be arrayed against the party constantly announcing that it would upset existing business conditions as the first feature of its program in office

ARE THE SAME

It is possible today to give the views of southern business men and it may or may not surprise the country at large to know that these views differ in no particular from those of business interests in the north and west

Southern business men who still are voting the Democratic ticket in national elections, either through tradition or possibly some remnant of racial fear, are not contributing funds to bring about Democratic success in the nation at large. Some southern states in the recent "unpleasantness" at the polls, failed to raise as much as three percent of the campaign fund quotas assigned to them by the national committee It must follow that if southern states constituting the voting strength of the Democracy today, will not contribute funds to help their own party in its fight in the so-called doubtful or border states, there is a lack of sympathy with the national aims of the party

NEED PROTECTION

The truth of the matter is, and the politicians may bank it if they will, that the new south of today is a community of states very much interested in the principles of protection The south has wide business and productive interests which need the stimulus of protection.

Time was when New England was condemned by the politicians as the mother and the great beneficiary of protection But today the southern states are threatening to take from New England, if they have not done so already, her dominance in the textile industry Some New England mill owners have deliberately dismantled their plants and moved them bodily to the south The states which are raising the cotton of the world are manufacturing it into clothing and fabrics within their own borders The south has no desire to see this rapidly spreading industry robbed of the protection which made it both possible and profitable in New England.

League Flays Reds And All Violence

Council Adjourns—Disarmament Protocol Held Over Until March Session.

[illegible] Dec. 13—(AP) [illegible] a new emphasis on the power of the Geneva peace protocol to allay the anxieties of [illegible] second session of the [illegible] of the League of Nations [illegible] today with its [illegible] being deter[illegible] to [illegible] the study of the protocol [illegible] and inaugurate [illegible] for an international conference on the re[illegible]

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BOMBERS LOSE IN AIR DUEL

Modern Battleship Armor Defeats Plane Attacks.

Washington Dec 13—Modern battleships have the power [illegible] bombs carried by the type of airplanes possessed by the United States army, Major General Patrick chief of the army air service said today [illegible] testifying before the house committee investigating aircraft problems

Tests on the hull of the uncompleted battleship Washington off the Virginia Capes recently, [illegible] proved that the army bombing craft were obsolescent and should be replaced with bigger and more powerful ships capable of carrying bombs which would be effective against modern enemy capital ships

OF OLDER TYPE

The United States he said had developed types of bombers [illegible] which equalled any in the world but the majority of the bombers now in service were of an older type

General Patrick [illegible] a race between battleship designers and makers of aircraft [illegible] bombs was in progress similar to that which has gone on for years between armor for battleships and armor-piercing projectiles of great naval rifles. Bombs [illegible] that could be carried by the [illegible] army bombers were of sufficient power to sink or cripple any battleship of a pre-Jutland type he said but the experiments against the post-Jutland Washington had made it obvious that more powerful and heavier bombs would be required

URGES FUNDS

The statement to the committee was in line with that by Secretary Wilbur in his recent appearance before the house naval appropriations sub-committee in urging that fund be made available to strengthen the decks and install blister protection on pre-Jutland battleships of the American fleet

The secretary said tests had shown that the deck armour of even the older battleships would resist explosions of bombs dropped on these decks but he added the protection must be provided against armor-piercing aerial bombs The naval secretary also said that the proposed modernization work on the old battleships was expected to render them as secure from aerial or submarine attack as was possible In the case of any old ship

DETAILS SECRET

Details of the experiments conducted against the Washington [illegible] have never been revealed by the navy department which regards the data as highly confidential General Patrick's statement today however threw additional light on the subject as there had been no official announcement that the ship had been attacked from the air with heavy bombs and had withstood the attack She was sunk by the big guns of the battleship Texas

General Patrick also discussed before the committee the decline of the aircraft building industry in the United States. While the army air service had attempted to standardize types of planes [illegible] as far as was possible in the present stage of aircraft development he said it had been necessary to place orders for army aircraft through negotiated contracts rather than by competitive bidding in order that as many aircraft factories as possible might be kept alive

TO STAY EVEN

Secretary Wilbur [illegible] informed congress that $110,000,000 would have been spent annually if the navy is to be maintained on a par with that of Great Britain and superior to Japan [illegible] made no recommendation that this be done

He estimated that of the total amount $92,000,000 year for twenty years would be needed for [illegible] and $18,000,000 for aircraft until there is an international agreement limiting [illegible] "within reasonable bounds" the additions to the portions of the fleet not covered in the arms treaty Secretary Wilbur said the only method of maintaining the treaty [illegible] the respective fleets "will be [illegible] building program commensurate with that of the other signatory powers"

SOCIALISTS VOTE TO ATTEND THIRD PARTY CONFERENCE

Hillquit, Debs, White Are Delegates.

Washington [illegible] national executive committee of the Socialist party voted here today to send delegates to the [illegible] of the conference for Progressive Political Action [illegible] for the purpose of deciding whether the political [illegible] supported the presidential campaign of Senator La Follette last fall shall be marshalled [illegible] party

Morris Hillquit [illegible] Eugene V. Debs and Bertha Hale White were named as the Socialist delegates

OWN CONVENTION

At the same time the socialist committee decided to summon a national convention of its own party to be held on the same date and in the same city as the [illegible] Mr Hillquit [illegible] the gathering [illegible] delegates [illegible] would vote [illegible] support [illegible] proposal [illegible]

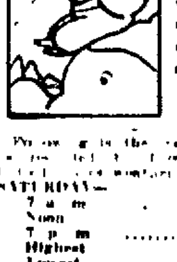
[illegible] the socialist party [illegible] friendly attitude toward the [illegible] to organize a labor party

SAY U. OF I. GIRL TOOK OWN LIFE

Jacksonville, Ill, Dec 13—A coroner's jury impaneled here this afternoon to inquire into the death of Ruth Irving, of this city who was found wandering in a field near Urbana, Ill, on Dec 2, in a weakened condition, found that the young woman came to her death by a "dose of poison, self-administered" Depression and an inability to do her work at the University of Illinois was given as the cause of the act

Miss Irving died here today following her removal to her home from Urbana, where she was a student at the University of Illinois.

The Weather



[illegible] Weather Indications for Illinois

Fair Sunday; Monday probably snow flurries and somewhat warmer; moderate variable winds.

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SATURDAY—
7 a. m. [illegible]
Noon [illegible]
7 p. m. [illegible]
Highest [illegible]
Lowest [illegible]
Sun rises (Standard time) [illegible]
Sun sets [illegible]

[illegible]

TEMPERATURES

Boston	[illegible]	[illegible]
Buffalo	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jacksonville	[illegible]	[illegible]
New Orleans	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]

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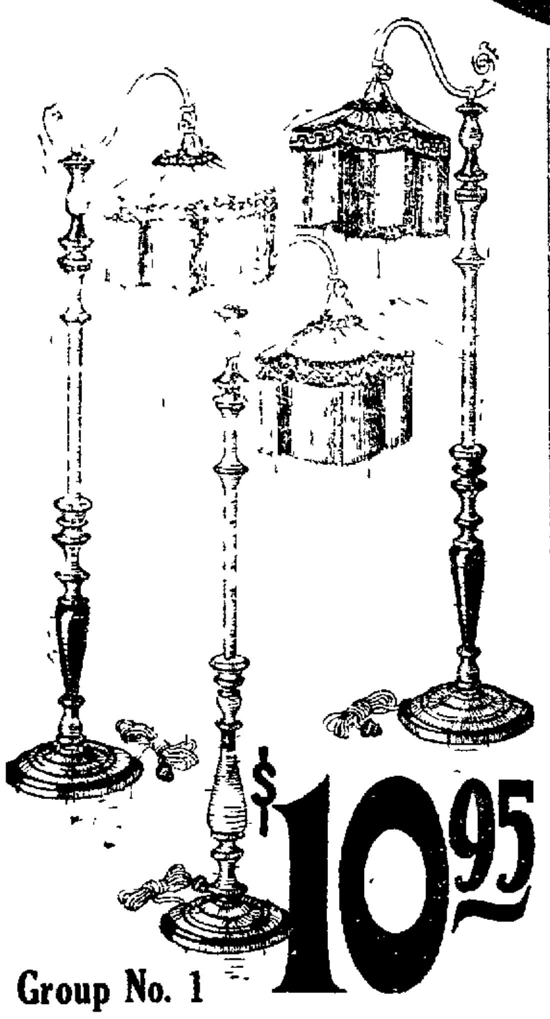
On the Main Floor we have grouped these lamps in seven huge lots to facilitate handling the crowds, and to make selection easy. Pictured here are just a few of many georgeous styles in this great sale of lamps. Be here when the doors open! The selling starts sharp at nine o'clock.

A Small Deposit Delivers Any Lamp---Balance Convenient



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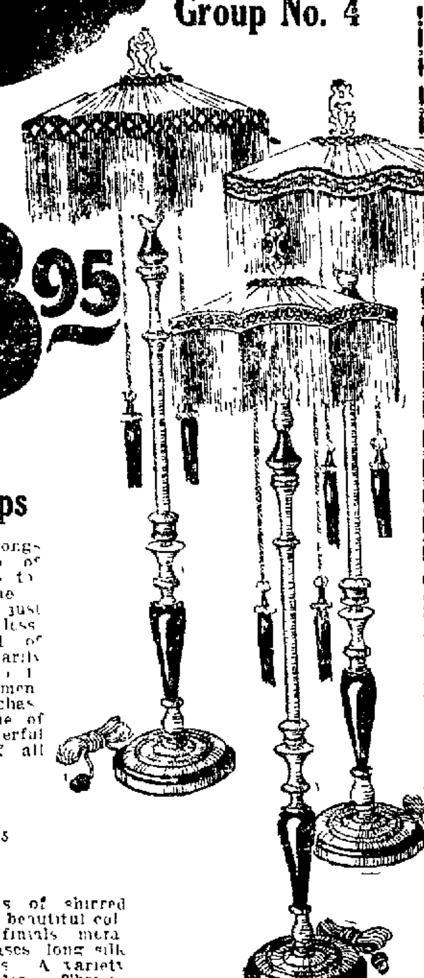

$13.95

Junior Floor Lamps

Watch the throngs storm this group of junior floor lamps to morrow Every one the lot will go in just one day—or even less They're the kind of lamps we ordinarily would sell for $2 1 $3—but this tremen dous special purchas makes possible one of the most wonderful lamp bargains of all time!

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Junior Floor Lamps

Group No. 6

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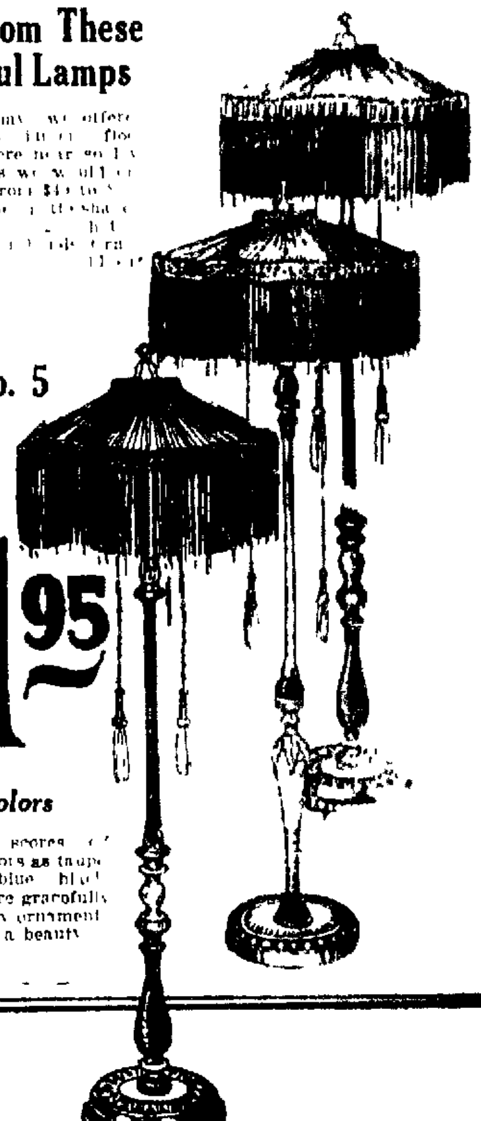

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Group No. 7

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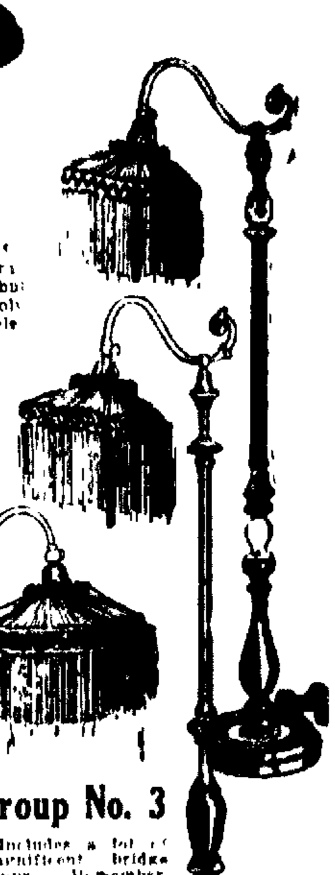
You can share in these marvelous lamp savings without a large cash outlay! Just a small deposit delivers your lamp — pay the balance as convenient. Old customers pay no money down.

Choose From These

Gorgeous Bridge Lamps

A large group—but w it h them go at $22.50 for o[illegible] They are lamps we ordinarily would sell for $40 to $ Shades of pleated Georgette, a number of deep, attractive shapes, antique gold galloon bands, 6-inch silk and bullion fringe and fancy rushing Antique gold leaf polychrome bases, silk pull cords. Come early tomorrow sele your bridge lamp, and pay for it as convenient



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SWINE SANITATION SYSTEM URGED

E. T. Robbins Addresses Hog Breeders.

ELIMINATE WORMS

U. of I. Professor Explains Methods.

In order to convince Macon county hog breeders of the practicability of the Mellean county swine sanitation system for raising pigs free from worms and hog diseases, E. T. Robbins, head of the animal husbandry department of the University of Illinois, spoke at the Farm Bureau Saturday afternoon.

E. H. Wadsworth, county agent of the Macon county Farm Bureau, is making an effort to get ten or twelve farmers to employ this method, as demonstrators. Farmers demonstrating this method will begin next spring.

All disease of worms is practically eliminated by the use of this plan, which has proved to be a great success in Mellean county, and all disease is also done away with.

SANITATION EASILY SEEN.

The success of the method can be seen by the great precautions used and the careful methods used. The sows farrowing the hog houses which are to be used are cleaned with boiling hot lye water. One can of lewis lye to thirty gallons of boiling water is the weakest lye solution which should be used. Neither hydrochloric nor sulphuric acid will do the work thoroughly. The walls and floor of the sheds are brushed with a broom. The hot water cooks the eggs of the worms, and the lye kills germs and removes dirt. A shed free in January or February should be picked for the work.

After the shed is thoroughly cleaned the walls and floor are sprinkled with dip, diluted in the proportion of one part of dip to four gallons of water. This kills any germs that may be left.

The house should be left to dry thoroughly.

SOW CLEANED

The sow should then be cleaned with soap and water, but not with dip and water. If dip is used the pigs will be poisoned by it and killed. The sow is then kept in the shed until time for farrowing, and no precaution is taken not to bring any worm eggs or germs into the shed for if some were brought in all the work of cleaning would have been wasted.

After the pigs are born they are kept inside for a short time. Feeding should not be started during this time from the bottom of the straw stack, where hogs have been walking, but should be taken a place which has had no chance to become contaminated with the worm eggs, or germs.

PUT ON PASTURE.

After a short while the sow and the litter of pigs are taken to some pasture, preferably clover, or possibly, alfalfa or rape, or a mixture of rape and oats.

An acre of land for two sows is plenty of space, and some times less space than this can be used.

There are several questions which arise concerning the method just explained. The multiplying of the worms is very fast and cannot be stopped without the use of this method. Different medicines for this disease only help for a short time, because the hogs can again become contaminated by picking up the eggs in dirty lots.

EGGS HATCH

When the eggs are laid inside the hog they pass out with the waste of the body through the intestines. Other hogs eat this, after it has laid for some time in rather warm weather also eating these eggs, which hatch immediately. The worm gets into the intestines, and bores through the walls into the blood, going thence into the lungs where it lodges and grows. The eggs are then laid. These worms in the lungs of the hog kill the tissue in the lungs.

When the tissue of the lungs is killed and is irritated the hog coughs considerably, but it is noticed that hogs which do not have the worms in their lungs are not susceptible to coughing.

USE CLOVER

Since clover is recommended for this method the question arises as to how it could be carried out if the clover crop should fail some season, as it often does. In this case it was suggested by Mr. Robbins that a mixture of rape, oats and clover be sowed, and while it was growing keep the pigs on any kind of a clean lot that could be found. The oats will furnish the early feeding, the rape will come next, and the clover last, with a chance for another crop.

The question of how to get water to the hogs also was raised. Mr. Robbins said that some men piped the water to the field, and others carry it in barrels at feeding times. He explained that if the water is taken at feeding times much time is saved and it really is very little bother.

NEED TIGHT FENCE.

Mr. Robbins emphasized the fact that farmers must keep a tight fence around the lot which is being used for this system, as the pigs are liable to get into a lot which has the worm eggs in it.

Mr. Robbins said that this system can be used by the renter as well as the owner of a farm.

Mr. Robbins predicted a good year for hog raising in 1925 and said that he believed that within the next year they will be selling for $12 per 100, and said he would not be surprised if they even go $15. Although hogs are a losing proposition now, he said, it will be but a short time before they are a real money making proposition.

Men who are to demonstrate this system will be given the help of the Farm Bureau, and next fall a tour will be made to these farms to see if the method had proved successful.

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To give his big force of skilled assistants all they can do, and do well, Wasson offers with each order for a few days yet one fine 8x10 print free with a guarantee that the pictures will be ready before Christmas.

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PROGRAM FOR MOOSE TONIGHT

Decatur Musical College to Provide Entertainment.

The program as arranged by the Decatur Musical college for the Moose entertainment Sunday night, to be given by pupils of that school, is as follows:

Songs by Miss Margaret Lindley—"Open Rapture" (Coates); "Just Awearyin' for You" (Bond); "In the Garden of Tomorrow" (Dipper).

Reading, monologue—Miss Norma Connor.

Piano solo—Polonaise in C sharp by Chopin—Miss Velma Lucile Pierce.

Violin solo—Minuet (Paderewski-Kreisler)—Cresey Turner.

Dancers in solo dances—Charlotte Benz, Marian Johnson, Kathleen Templeton, Helen Louise Manning,son and Winona Grisch.

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WILL BEGIN ACTION

Several Counties to Ask State to Act.

It is authoritatively stated that not a county in Illinois has received a dollar of refund on 15-d roads except those roads that have been incorporated in the state bond issue system. A Decatur man who keeps in close touch with whatever is going on in highway construction made it a point to inquire about this of the division of highways. It was greatly to his surprise to learn that no refund has been made yet.

Vermilion county, Champaign county, Piatt county, Sangamon county and other counties have received large refund but it was for improved state aid roads that have been made a part of the state bond issue system.

The statute provides that the state shall refund to the counties a sum equal to the counties part of the cost of constructing 15-d roads.

HALF AND HALF.

The original state aid law provided that the state should pay half and the county pay half the cost of constructing state aid roads. To hasten the building of roads an amendment to the law was made providing that counties might advance the entire cost of construction and that the state would refund a sum not in excess of half the cost of the road. Such roads are known as 15-d roads.

The reason that there has been no refund on these roads is that there has never been an appropriation by the legislature for a refund. Counties that have a considerable mileage of 15-d roads are beginning to demand a refund and it is certain that considerable pressure will be brought to bear on the next general assembly for a refund. It is said that if such refund is provided it will be through an increase in the automobile license fees or an automobile tax. It is certain that there will be very strong opposition to both these plans for increasing road revenues.

But where a 15-d pavement was made a part of a state bond issue road the entire cost of the pavement has been refunded to the county. In Vermilion county three state bond issue routes cross the county and these for the most part were laid down on 15-d roads. For this reason huge sums have been refunded to that county.

FINDS BRIDGES STILL UNREPAIRED

Last Spring's Damage Not Yet Fixed.

Damage done by heavy rainstorms is hardly fully realized by reading accounts in the newspapers, and those who read soon forget what the reports were—unless they see the damaged property afterward. This is what one Decatur traveler found out as he was coming home from Kewanee.

It will be remembered that in the spring there were some ten or twelve bridges washed out in the district on Route 29 between Princeton and Peoria. It wasn't the Illinois river that did the damage as much as the smaller streams in that district. The Decatur man found that at Chillicothe there were only five or six of the bridges replaced, while at the spots where bridges had been there were only barges upon which crossing could be made.

At this town also there was about a quarter of a mile of the fill that had been washed out by the stream. The road at this point formerly was curved, but improvements being planned will make straight and much higher than before. While on the ride from this place to Decatur the Decatur man passed several houses with the water mark still clearly distinguishable half way up to the first floor windows.

ANOTHER LETTING OF ROADS WEDNESDAY

None of Sections Near Macon County.

The third state road letting since the November election will be held in Springfield Wednesday next. This letting includes thirty-six sections of pavement aggregating 262.9 miles, also 71.5 miles of heavy grading. This brings the total of paving let since Nov. 4 up to 650 miles and grading to 114 miles.

Little of the road to be let Wednesday directly concerns Decatur or Macon county. One section of Route 16 in Montgomery county is to be let. This extends the road from Litchfield to Mt. Olive. There remains the letting of one more section to complete this route.

WIDEN ROUTE 1

Eight sections of Route 1 are included. Two of these are in Vermilion county and are a widening proposition covering twenty-five miles. Two others are in Iroquois county and they appear to replace some of that tarvia road with concrete eighteen feet wide. Four of the sections are in White, Gallatin and Saline counties and push this route on south.

Three sections of Route 4 in Will, Dupage and Cook counties totaling twenty-four miles are to be let. We thought this route was finished but it appears that we have been using a makeshift route from Joliet to Chicago while the real Route 4 on the north side of the drainage canal is yet to be built.

Two sections of Route 11 in Clair county are included in the letting. This route leads from Belleville to Carbondale and as yet nothing in the way of paving has been done.

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You can start with as little as 1 cent, if you want to. Then every week make a trifle larger payment. At the end of fifty weeks you are given your Christmas check, which includes all of your payments plus interest. If you prefer, you can start with the largest amount and work down, or you make a regular, fixed deposit every week. Study the sample plans as listed below. You'll find it is easy to have Christmas money, because

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Join A 'Xmas Savings Club This Week

CLASS 1—Members paying 1 cent the first week, 2 cents the second week, and increasing 1 cent each week for fifty weeks will receive $12.75

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CLASS 2—Members paying 2 cents the first week, 4 cents the second week, and increasing 2 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive $25.50

CLASS 2A—Members paying $1.00 the first week, 98 cents the second weeks, and decreasing 2 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive $25.50

CLASS 5—Members paying 5 cents the firs tweek, 10 cents the second week, and increasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive $63.75

CLASS 5A—Members paying $2.50 the first week, $2.45 the second week, and decreasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive $63.75

CLASS 25—Members paying 25 cents a week for fifty weeks will receive $12.50

CLASS 50—Members paying 50 cents a week for fifty weeks will receive $25.00

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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS
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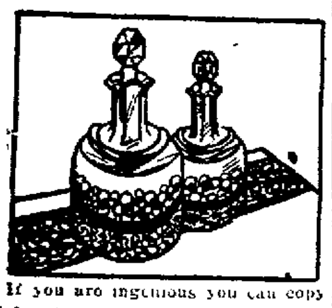


If you are ingenious you can copy elaborate effects in perfume bottles at little cost. These ordinary sha d bottles are covered with bands of attractive wall paper and then the entire surface heavily lacquered. You might also paint bottles with floral or conventional designs and some are covered with lace and small French flowers.

NEW YORK FIRM HALTS GUN SALE

New York — Discontinuance of the sale of revolvers was announced recently by Charles Williams stores, a mail order house.

Asserting that the company had always exercised extreme caution in the sale of firearms and had complied with the laws of the states in which it did business, L. S. Lyons, chairman of the finance committee, said that "as popular sentiment seems to be in favor of curtailing the sale of this class of merchandise wherever possible, we are glad to aid this movement."

CULVER CITY AUTO RACE HELD TODAY

Culver City, Calif., Dec. 13—The 250 mile Culver city race, twice postponed, and which is the final event of the 1924 American automobile racing season will be held here tomorrow afternoon with 17 drivers competing.

HELICOPTER NEXT EDISON PREDICTS

New York—The next great invention, Thomas A. Edison states in an interview in this week's Collier's, will be on the perfection of the helicopter.

"Man now has definitely accomplished flight," Mr. Edison says. "It has come to stay and serve the world. But the helicopter—that device which, perfected, will enable men to rise straight upward from the ground, and after having reached a stated latitude to hover there without moving back and forth, or up and down—after we get this helicopter, flight will revolutionize our civilization.

GREAT SPEEDS.

We shall achieve such tremendous speeds as are beyond us now, and shall not need to fly at great heights. Flying will come along in practical form in time to keep us out of trouble. When the need for some new thing becomes insistent men always find it."

In the same interview Mr. Edison concludes that the farmers of the United States are getting a rough deal.

"At the present moment," he says, "the farmer is getting all the worst of it. The trouble is that, speaking roughly, half the population is made up of farmers and the other half consists of manufacturers and middlemen. A very simple plan would solve the problems of the farmer. All the government should have to do would be to store foodstuffs and do with them what it does at present with its gold and silver stores—pass them out for use as needed."

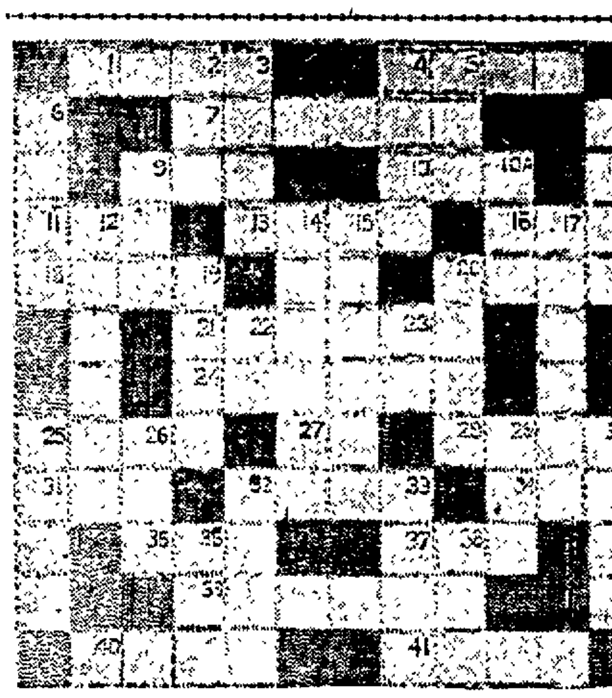
Good Suggestion.

Leta—I thought you were going to kiss me when you puckered up your lips just now.

Green—No-er—it was a piece of grit in my mouth.

Leta—Then for goodness sake, swallow it—you need it.

A WORLD GONE MAD!
Now They're Sending Cross-Word Puzzles Across the Atlantic by Radiogram!



Here's a cross-word puzzle direct from London, as direct as anything ever came from London. The diagram was sent by radiogram, the new process of the Radio Corporation of America by which photographs are literally sent through the air.

Definitions for the horizontal and vertical words were radio-ed in the usual manner. In several days the puzzle and its proper solution will be photographed and radiographed. Watch for it in The Review.

And if you are of the memento-keeping sort you might put this away for your grand-children. It will show to posterity one of the earliest beginnings of what promises to be a great industry of the future. And it will also show posterity what a universal hold the cross-word puzzle had on folks in 1924.

This puzzle was evolved by the London Daily News. With it was sent a photo of a London bobby holding up traffic at Parliament crossing on one of London's typical foggy mornings.

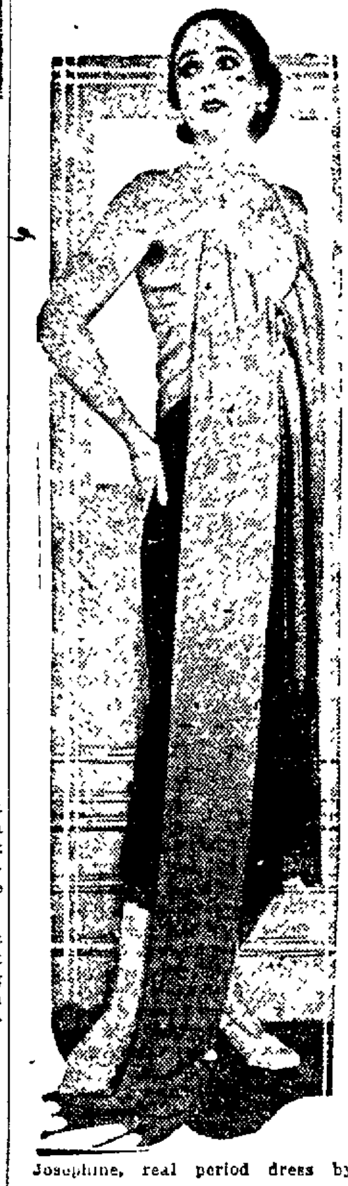
HORIZONTAL.

1. A short breath.
2. A section of bridge.
7. Bird.
9. River in Wales.
10. Quick movement of head.
11 Open.
13. Bee in Latin.
16. Atmosphere.
18. Abbreviation for boy's name.
20. Carpenter's tool.
21. French city.
24. Inland duty.
25. Prevaricator.
27. Behead an insect
28. Part of verb to be.
31. Readily efficient.
32. And too.
34. Poem
35. Part of the face
37. French for wine.
39. Parentless child.
40. Small horse.
41. Tardy.

VERTICAL.

2. To reap in.
3. A prayer.
4. Curtail sense.
5. For in Latin.
6. To coagulate.
8. Funeral pile.
9. Small
10. A father.
12. Boy's name.
14 A package.
15. Group of islands off American coast.
17. Behead a snowstorm twice.
19. Above.
20. Renew.
22. Prefix meaning stop
23 We.
25 Crippled.
26 Eaten.
29 An indefinite period.
30 A covering.
32 Ethereal or visionary.
33 Ellipse shaped.
36 Over there
38. Girl's name.

A PERIOD DRESS



Josephine, real period dress by Anna. This type has made the Parisian partisan of the modern corset. It is worn by a Spanish mannequin considered the legitimate successor of Hebe as queen of the mannequins.

MILES STANDISH HAD FIRST TRUST

Seattle, Wash.—(P)—Monopoly in America began in 1623, Edward MacMahon, associate professor of history in the University of Washington declared in a lecture here.

A cow was brought to a Pilgrim colony from England, Professor MacMahon said, and allotted to several families, including Captain Miles Standish, a bachelor. Captain Standish soon bought control of the cow, share by share, and he and his relatives enjoyed an abundant supply of milk while his neighbors went without, related the historian.

INDIANS INCREASE; GROW HEALTHIER

Washington—(P)—An increase in the country's Indian population and a marked improvement in health conditions on their reservations were noted in an annual report today by Indian Commissioner Burke.

Growth by 2,593 in the past year to a total of 346,962 in a population total entirely dependent on the difference between the birth and death rates is accepted as proof that the Indians are becoming a healthier people.

SHOW RESULTS.

Campaigns being conducted against trachoma and tuberculosis, the most prevalent Indian diseases, are yielding results, and the commissioner seeks an additional appropriation of $130,000 to carry on the work.

A gain in school attendance also was noted, 65,484 Indians having been enrolled in various schools, representing an increase of 4,071 over 1923. In three years the number of teachers in the Indians' summer training schools has grown from twenty-four to 235.

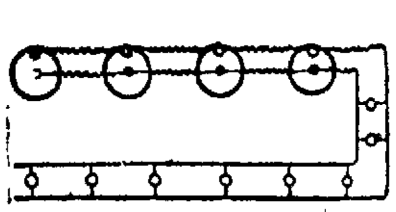
BELOW NORMAL.

Although oil and gas operations on Indian reservations were less than normal, the leasings reached 22,910 acres; 49,640,458 barrels were produced and the total revenue was $29,115,517. A tract of 160 acres on the Osage reservation in [illegible] was leased for nearly $2,000,000 and several others brought more than $1,000,000 apiece. The Osages also realized $[illegible] from oil and gas.

Lumber cut on all reservations aggregated 20,000,000 feet which netted the Indians $[illegible].

Pima Indians in Arizona will be especially benefited [illegible] dam to be constructed [illegible] river near San Carlos.

Christmas Tree Lighting Spreads Yuletide Spirit



Every year fire marshalls issue warnings against using candles to illuminate Christmas trees. Every year these warnings are disregarded nearly everywhere in the country and bad fires result. Many people do not know that they can have an electrically lighted Christmas tree, whether they have electricity in their home or not, and many, with homes that are wired, are afraid to experiment with the 110 volt house current supplied by a city lighting company.

The above diagram shows how anyone can have a Christmas tree brilliantly and beautifully lighted with small incandescent bulbs by the simple use of four six-inch dry cells. All that is necessary is to connect the olight sockets and the dry cells in parallel [illegible] flashlight bulbs, and then string the lights wherever fancy [illegible] among the boughs of the tree. Four six-inch cells will be sufficient to light eight [illegible] full through the Christmas holidays and probably have plenty of energy left to ring the doorbell and perform other odd tasks around the house.

TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS OF ANT BATTLES

London. At the zoological gardens in London it has been possible after many attempts, to photograph a [illegible] battle between ants with [illegible] [illegible] and interesting [illegible] photograph enlarged shows the [illegible] like terrible monsters [illegible] [illegible]

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Everlasting Wreaths
These wreaths are attractively trimmed in all colors and the material will last indefinitely. They are splendid to place on graves in the cemetery. Priced at $1.50 and up.

Holly Wreaths
Holly Wreaths, made of natural holly, full of bright red holly berries and pretty ribbon ties. Prices 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Evergreen Wreaths
These wreaths are trimmed with wax flowers and holly berries and have a wealth of Christmas color. Priced at 50c to $1.50.

Christmas Wreaths.
The good old-fashioned wreaths, the kind you used to buy years ago, trimmed with bright red paper and will last for years if carefully preserved. Priced at 50c up.

Christmas Gift Decorative Bowls
A fine gift or remembrance. These bowls are made of the best materials and represent a big value at $2.00 up.

Japanese Gift Bowls
These Japanese Gift Bowls are handsomely decorated and each is filled with ruscus, evergreen and other pretty artificial flowers and candle. Priced at $1.50 up.

Twig Baskets
An unusually clever Christmas basket of cheerful decoration and a gift that any person would appreciate. Priced at $2.00 up.

Baskets of Fine Cut Flowers
Beautiful fancy baskets, filled with the choicest of cut flowers any assortment you desire. A wonderful gift priced at $3 and up.

GRAVE COVERS
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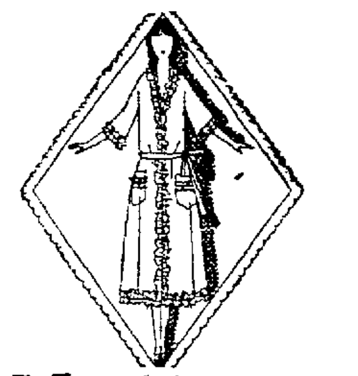
The Store of the Christmas Spirit

WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY

Complete Stocks and Good Service Make Shopping Easy Here

AT THIS store we have made every effort to make shopping pleasant during the last few days before Christmas. Sales-forces have been greatly augmented to take care of the Pre-Christmas rush of buyers. Stocks have been replenished, and reserve stocks have been brought forward. Every need has been carefully considered and provided for. Again, however, we emphasize the advantages of shopping in the mornings, when crowds are light, salespeople are rested, and assortments are at the best.



Negligees

LOVELY robes for hours of leisure are these negligees of fine silk crepe and satin, in bright colors and pastels, with beautiful decorations.
—Satin breakfast coats, trimmed with tiny ruffles, are in turquoise, rose, gold and copen. They are $8.50 and $10.
—Beautiful robes of quilted satin, with silk linings, are in rose and blue. Good values at $18.50 and $22.50.
—Negligees of soft silk crepe de Chine, trimmed with shirred crepe, are in shell pink, turquoise and flame, $12 50.
—Negligees of crepe de Chine in orchid and turquoise, trimmed with Irish lace and stencil embroidery, are $18 50.
—SECOND FLOOR

Brassieres

BECAUSE they are dainty, and useful as well, women select pretty brassieres of satin and lace to give to intimate friends at Christmas.
—Certain very lovely brasseries of lace, with straps of ribbon, are trimmed with dainty pink rosebuds, $2.
—Brassieres of silk jersey and silk crepe, in pink and orchid, with rbibon straps, are priced just $1 each.
—Other brassieres of silk and lace are priced $2 to $5.
—SECOND FLOOR

Silk Lingerie

TO choose silk lingerie for a girl or woman is to make certain of gift success. The items mentioned below are favored by gift buyers.
—Gowns of silk crepe de Chine, in white, orchid and peach, trimmed with laces are priced $5.95, $7.50, $10 and $15.
—"Teddies" of silk crepe de Chine in orchid and peach, effectively trimmed with laces, are $2 95, $3 95 and $5 95.
—Gowns of silk mull in peach, blue, orchid, and flesh, trimmed with hemstitching, $2 95.
—Tailored "Teddies" of silk mull, in flesh, peach and orchid are special values at $1.95. Sizes 36 to 44.
—SECOND FLOOR

May Morton Can Help You

IF you are a man, trying to select suitable gifts for the women on your list; if you are a woman who can't quite decide; or if you are one who can't come to the store to do your shopping—May Morton can help you in many ways.
—She can suggest innumerable gifts for women, and just as many for men. She will shop with you if you come to the store, but if you can't come you need only to tell her what you have in mind and she will select for you. May Morton is our Personal Shopper, and her most important duty just now is to help people select gifts There is no charge whatever for her services.

New Fur Sets

For Little Girls

THE little girl who receives one of these fur sets for Christmas is sure to be pleased, and her pleasure will outlast Christmas, for a warm fur muff and neckpiece are useful all winter long.
—We have sets of white, coney, white Iceland fox, white thibetine, muskrat, brown and grey coney and opossum, each with a scarf and muff, at $3.50 to $12.50 a set.
—SECOND FLOOR

Practical Gifts

For Infants

PRACTICAL, but not too practical to be dainty and attractive, are these apparel gifts for infants. They are things of the sort experienced mothers choose, so you may select them with confidence, even though you have little knowledge of an infant's needs.
—Infant's knitted sacques of white wool, trimmed in pink and blue, are $1.95 to $2.95.
—Infant's knitted caps of white wool, trimmed in pink and blue, are 50c, 75c and $1
—Infant's knitted white hoods, trimmed in pink and blue, are priced $1 each.
—Infant's dainty hoods of silk crepe de Chine, in pink, blue and white, $1 to $2.50.
—Charming dresses for infants, hand made and decorated, are in white. $1, $1.50 and $4.50.

Nursery Furniture

—One may choose from an assortment that includes Kiddie-Koops, Play-Pens, wardrobes, bassinettes and many other attractive things for the nursery, as well as pretty reed carriages and rubber tired sulkies.
—SECOND FLOOR

Many Men are Choosing

Fur Coats for Gifts

MEN who seek gifts certain of appreciation, may turn with confidence to gifts of fur. Nothing is more certain of a genuine welcome, nor is there anything which will bring greater happiness to the recipient. Men who plan such gifts will do well to visit this store, for we have varied assortments of modish coats fashioned of dependable fur—coats of the sort women choose for themselves. A few representative coats are mentioned.

—48-inch coats of natural muskrat, in cross stripe design, $125.
—45-inch coats of natural muskrat, trimmed with raccoon, $195.
—48-inch coats of sealine, trimmed with squirrel, are $175.
—48-inch coats of bronze caracul, fox trimmed, are priced $375.
—48-inch coats of Hudson seal, skunk trimmed, are $275.
—30-inch jacquettes of caracul, trimmed with fox, priced $125.
—Very fine capes of selected American mink are priced $495.
—Modish capes of Japanese mink are excellent values at $195.

Beautiful stoles of selected brown fox are $25 to $75
Chokers of marten, Hudson Bay sable, mink, $20 to $75
SECOND FLOOR

Remember Distant Friends With

Pretty Handkerchiefs

MANY people have formed the pleasant custom of mailing a pretty handkerchief with each Christmas greeting to a distant friend, knowing that a handkerchief, though tiny and inexpensive in itself, gives tangible expression to the spirit of friendship which prompts all Christmas giving.

Handkerchiefs for Everyone

—Men's initial handkerchiefs of pure White linen, 25c and 50c.
—Men's white cotton handkerchiefs with colored initials are 25c.
—Men's handkerchiefs of plain, white linen, extra size, 50c.
—Men's full size handkerchiefs of white silk are $1 each.
—Men's handkerchiefs of natural Japanese silk pongee are 75c.
—Men's imported English Lissue handkerchiefs, white with colored borders are 59c each. Borders are guaranteed fast colors.
—Women's handkerchiefs of linen, white and colors, 25c and 35c.
—Women's imported handkerchiefs of fine cotton, 3 for 50c.
—Women's handkerchiefs of silk, in pretty colors, 39c-59c.
—Women's imported handkerchiefs of English Lissue, in white with colored borders, are 39c each.
—Children's handkerchiefs of linen in pretty colors, 25c.
—Boys' full size handkerchiefs or white linen are only 25c each.
—Boys' white cotton handkerchiefs with colored initials, 25c.
FIRST FLOOR

Silk Hose

MEN and women who solve all Christmas problems with gifts of silk hosiery will find selection easy at this store, for our ample, well selected assortments include hosiery of every favored kind, for men, women and children, and our prices are decidedly moderate.
—Women's full - fashioned McCallum hosiery of pure silk, with lisle tops, heels, soles and toes, is $2 a pair. In all the favored shades of the season as well as black.
—Women's Gordon hosiery of pure silk, full-fashioned, with lisle soles, heels, toes and tops, is of very fine quality. In all favored colors, $2.50.
—Men's "Gordon" full-fashioned hose of very fine, pure silk, with double soles, heels, toes and tops, may be chosen in navy, cordovan, black, $1.
—FIRST FLOOR

Women's Pretty

Felt Slippers

At Moderate Prices

SMART in style, dainty in color, effectively trimmed, these felt slippers for women are gifts at once pretty and practical. At these prices they are very good values.
—Women's felt slippers with satin vamps and soft, padded soles, are in American beauty, king's blue, orchid, fawn and wisteria. $2 a pair.
—Felt "Solace" high slippers, with padded soles, have collars of carved velvet. In mikado and China blue, $2.25 a pair.
—Women's felt "Everett" slippers, trimmed with cords and rosettes, are in orchid rose, China blue and turquoise. They are $2.25 a pr.
—Women's felt "Everett" slippers in smoke, turquoise brown, wisteria and blue have contrasting vamps and silk pom pons. They are $1.50 a pair.
—Women's felt "Solace" slippers in king's blue, American beauty, wisteria, rose, orchid and turquoise, have contrasting collars. Prettily embroidered. They are $2 a pair.
—SECOND FLOOR

Smart Purses

VANITY boxes of patent and colored leather, with mirror and other fittings, priced $2.95 to $6.50 each.
—Hand tooled bags of selected leather, with inside mirror and other fittings, are suede lined. $15 to $37.50 each.
—Pouch bags of pin seal, with gold frames set with brilliants, are fitted with mirrors and purses. $16.50 to $27.50.
—Flat under-arm purses fashioned of pin seal, and of pin seal combined with patent leather, are $10 to $13.50
—FIRST FLOOR

Gift Jewelry

MODISH and attractive, yet decidedly inexpensive, are the gifts featured in the jewelry section here. Of the many items to be seen here, only a few are mentioned.
—Bar pins, plated or of real Sterling, are in many charming styles, set with saphires and brilliants, 50c to $5.
—Rings in attractive shapes, set with pearls and colored stones, are 50c to $2 each
—Single, double and triple drape necklaces of cream white or pink pearls, some matched, some graduated, are in many styles, at 95c to $39.50.
—Choker necklaces of pearls, of gold and silver, and of crystal beads in many colors, are priced $1 to $7.50.
—Bracelets, single, double and triple, are in many colors and styles. They are $1 to $5
—Clever vanity bags in unusual new shapes, are of silver and gold with chain handles. Fitted with mirror, powder puff and lip stick $22 50 to $27.50
—FIRST FLOOR

These Mod

New Gloves

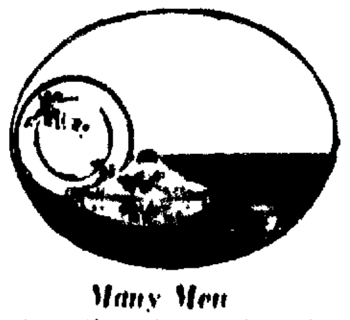
Are Favored Gifts

NUMBERS of people, particularly women, are choosing gift gloves from the assortments here, not only for women, but for boys and girls as well. The best gloves are found here, and our prices are very low.
—Women's fancy "Alexandre" gauntlets of fine French kid, with French cuffs, have tinsel and embroidered decorations. In beaver, brown, mode and tan. They are $5.
—Gauntlets of fine suede, with narrow French and turnback cuffs, are in mode and grey, with embroidery in contrast. They are $3 50.
—Jouvin gloves of French kid and suede, in 16 button length, are in black only Paris point backs. $7 50 a pr.
—FIRST FLOOR

Gift Tips

From The Gift Shop

TORCHIERES in beautiful designs, fashioned of parchment and glass in attractive colors, are $2.25 to $3 each.
—Coffee sets of luster china, with percolator and cream and sugar set, are $25.
—Royal Rochester, Universal, Hot Point and Thermax electric turn toasters, $5, $8, $8.50.
—Cake plates of silver in artistic designs, $3 50.
—Bronze statutes—authentic copies of famous originals are priced $2 to $7.50 each.
—Table lamps, with bases of antique metal and shades of hand painted glass, are priced $10 95 to $50 each.
—Smoking stands, with bases of metal and insets of colored glass, are special at $2.
—Silver salt and pepper shakers in many styles, $2 pair.
—Royal Doulton china from England is china of the finest kind, with odd, lovely decorations. Cream pitchers, $2.75; sweet trays, $3; sugar and cream sets, $6 50; tea pots $5.50; salad bowls, $6.98; sandwich plates, $4; cup and saucer, $2.
—Metal book ends in bronze and gold, $1.75 to $10 a pair
—FOURTH FLOOR



Many Men
Are Choosing Gifts of

Dinner Ware

From Our Assortments

MEN who come here to choose find [illegible] attractive designs to choose from. There is dinner ware from the United States, England, France, Bavaria and other countries. There is a pattern to suit every home and [illegible] and all patterns are in "open stock," [illegible] may choose any number of pieces from one to a [illegible] set.
100 piece sets of very fine Bavarian china in a new gold band pattern with scalloped edges are $95. Cups and saucers are $15 a dozen, dinner plates are $15 a dozen.
—Cups and saucers of Bavarian [illegible] china are priced $10 a dozen. Dinner plates $10 a dozen.
—Other dinner sets of 42 and 100 pieces are priced from $6.95 to $100.00.
—FOURTH FLOOR

A Demonstration Of

Duplex Stoves

Until Christmas

MRS Louise Rush, a Fireless Cookery expert, will be here all this week to demonstrate the Duplex Fireless Stove. Interested women, and men who are thinking of giving a Fireless Cooker for Christmas, are urged to talk with Mrs Rush while she is here
—Duplex single well Fireless Cookers, complete with utensils and heating elements are priced $13 75 and $16.50
—Double well Duplex stoves, for larger families completely equipped, are $25
—FOURTH FLOOR

Here Are
Great Stocks of Fine

Silver Ware

For Christmas Giving

COMMUNITY PLATE has come to be regarded as the standard of table silver, so Community is the choice of almost all buyers of silver for gifts. At this store we have complete assortments of Community Plate, in the favored Adam, Patrician, Sheraton, Grosvenor and Bird of Paradise patterns. A few items are mentioned:
—26-piece sets of Community Par Plate, guaranteed for 10 years, are priced $11 75. The pattern is the pretty "Tudor." In mahogany finished chests.
—26-piece sets of Community Plate, guaranteed for fifty years, are $30 50. The set includes 6 teaspoons, 6 tablespoons, 6 knives, 6 forks, a butter knife and sugar spoon.
—FOURTH FLOOR

Good Toys

At Low Prices

—Carom boards, $4.25, $5 50
—Hill Climber Sedans, $2 75
—Sandy Andy toys 85c-$1 25
—Bizzy Andy toys are 50c
—Toy Tea sets are . $3 50
—Toy doll beds are $2 50
—Gilbert puzzles 25c to $1
—Doll buggies, $5 50 to $9
—Little Sister dolls . . . 88c
—FOURTH FLOOR

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THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.
Roads,
Parks and Play Grounds,
Railroad Problems,
Better School Facilities

DON'T RUSH THE MOURNERS.

A member of the legislature will show up at the next session with a bill that will add materially to the cost of running a car.

He proposes a tax on gasoline, also an increase in the price of state license.

His argument is that all of us are wild for more hard roads and that somebody must pay the fiddler.

All this is respectfully though earnestly referred to Governor Small. He is the gentleman who proclaimed throughout the campaign that present license fees will take care of all obligations we are undertaking in hard roads.

There were days during the campaign when we had a feeling that Mr. Small himself was paying for the roads, but there were other times when he assured us the whole movement would be taken care of by license fees we now pay.

The governor was emphatic on that point and delighted in driving it home by pretty constant repetition.

True there were a few who said they were unable to figure just how all the bond issues could be met by license fees, but always these were written and spoken down as killjoys, also there was malice in the method of some of them. We were told to pay no attention to them and that's just what we did. It is a little late now to learn that maybe they were not altogether wrong.

We have it on the word of local bankers that the usual license fee will meet all these obligations, and there are honorable men who are thought to be acquainted with addition and subtraction.

And the average car owner is now called on to pay more than he can comfortably stand. If he is stuck for any more, it will be at the expense of those who supply others of his real wants.

From time to time we read some bothering stuff about the fairness and justice of a tax on gasoline; but the big point is that those in authority and in our confidence have told us it isn't needed.

The member of the legislature says we need to be very careful about taking on any new taxes. It is good preaching; we only wish he would practice it.

At least don't take on any more of this car tax until it is demonstrated that the authorities and the friends in our confidence didn't know what they were about when they figured. If we must pay, at least let us have the satisfaction of going around to them and rubbing it in.

IN THE BLOOD AND BONE.

Something is said about the prison record of a forger. Once more they are holding him in durance vile and they may be heartless enough to send him to prison.

If there is no mistake in the computation, the record shows he has been in prison at least twice for forgery; if he goes again it will be third time. And always it is the same old offense, forgery naked and unadorned.

He may have to stay longer in prison next time, but there are folks who will object to this. Maybe they will get their way in part, though not altogether; and the man may get out in time to load up with a gun and a pen and sally forth to forge some more.

We don't know just why a forger carries a gun. His special line is thought to be a little more deft and not marked with physical violence. Bandits carry guns, but we supposed a forger managed to get along with fountain pen.

PICKING THE OTHER POCKET.

This time the agricultural bill in congress carries a total of $124,000,000, which is away ahead of what the measure provided in other years. People will want to know why.

They have gone in more heavily for hard roads, and $80,000,000 of the total is to go that way. All this will be sent out among the states, and we will be expected to "match" dollars. Unless we do we may expect no part of the road money.

In this matter we don't know just what is our situation here in Illinois. We have taken on great road building obligations of our own, and if this move by the federal government calls for still more money from us we are going to be pushed hard to find it in the next thirty years.

The situation may not be entirely comfortable even though we are privileged to use some of our present and prospective road funds to "match" federal dollars. The dollars we match will have to come from somewhere and somebody, and it is safe to put it down that we shall have to furnish our full share of them.

It means that we are called on to spend more on roads than was written in the bond which we voted upon ourselves. The pace is rather lively.

CAN NOW TRY IT ON THE CHICKENS.

There is an ailment of some kind among the chickens, also said to be catching. Because of this New York has laid an embargo on live shipments from our section of the country.

Promptly some one comes forth and advises what is to be done if we are to save our chickens and restore them to good standing in the open market of New York. The treatment seems simple and easy, that is as one reads the directions.

Here it is: Fix up the poultry shelters so the chickens will have an abundant supply of "fresh air without draughts."

It is a direction we have seen laid down in the treatment of human ailments. It is a wonderful treatment, but very few people, if any, know just how to apply it. Chicken raisers are a resourceful lot, and possibly they will learn how to do the trick of "air without draughts."

Fresh air is brought from the outside; in this winter season it is cooler than that we have indoors. In physics the mingling of cool and warm air sets up some motion, one displacing the other. Air in motion is a draught, and we know this when we get in the way.

Perhaps the problem can be solved, but we suspect it takes an engineer, and he will need a great lot of special appliances. However, we shall continue to talk about "air without draught," for it does make a handsome battlecry while leaving an impression we are wise.

OH, LET US BE AMIABLE.

Some people in France are complaining that we in America don't buy their films, and at the same time we sell them a good many of ours.

The French are not pleased with this situation, and they are planning to learn if a little of their own law will not help them. They propose by statute to keep Will Hays from sending his producers to France to photograph the fine backgrounds to be found there.

Much of this is news to most of us. We assumed that all French backgrounds in our pictures were set up in Hollywood. We feel sure that if the French will not let us use theirs, we can find another way around this devil-stump.

We regret that we are not buying more films from France. This must be because the French do not make the kind that appeal to our artistic yearnings. We wish that more of this kind might be made, in France and other corners of the world, for there are seasons when the home supply hardly meets the demand.

It is asked that we and the French try hard to get along amiably in this matter, for it will help both sides. If they will make a picture better than the run of the best we have here, we shall be delighted to extend the encouragement of our discriminating patronage.

It isn't something to fight over, and especially it isn't a matter of statutes. Better send us a few superior pictures.

MR. MARKHAM IS A GOOD BET.

President C. H. Markham of the Illinois Central railroad says that 1925 is to be a prosperous time in all this Middle-West. He is so sure of this, after carefully going over the signs and portents, that he publishes the story for the enlightenment of the world.

It is in order to remark that in matters of this kind Mr. Markham should be a firstclass forecaster. This has been a big part of his business for years, and his record as a guesser is pretty well up at the top.

And Mr. Markham is staking his company's money on the proposition that he is right.

SOME BET MELLON KNOWS.

Secretary Mellon has offered to trade 4 per cent bonds, due many years from now, for 4 1-4 per cents that come due late in 1928, less than four years from now.

Mr. Mellon doubtless figures this is a good exchange for his present client, the United States treasury. It means that as he sees the situation it isn't likely the treasury will be able to do better than put through the exchange he now offers.

Many holders of the bonds due in 1928 will conclude that Mr. Mellon is right in his view of what is best for the treasury, for he is a wizard at things of this kind. It will cause them to hang on to the bonds they now have, for they share in Mr. Mellon's view that they can get at least as much out of his treasury when the bonds mature in 1928.

And this decision may be regarded as a tribute to the wizardry of Mr. Mellon. Bouquets and compliments are all that are in mind.

Neither now nor ever could, we bring ourselves to contemplate for a moment the ungracious thought that the school marm can be old-fashioned, no matter what the principal says.

And right here in the Christmas season they arrest fourteen in a forenoon for parking overtime! Tidings of great joy.

Another thing to put on our list is the thought that a ball park is also a suitable Christmas gift.

A minister of prominence says it is a worst form of athieism to say that war can't be abolished, but what to do with the heretics?

We would not contend the average duck hunter is a liar, but he should get around and make distribution of some of the evidence.

Fifty years ago they had organ music in a saloon here in Decatur, but even that was not enough to save the day.

If you have a stray lot anywhere in northeast part of the township, Mr. Staley will pay good money for a deed to it.

Mrs. Sweetin said that Hight didn't love her as she loved him, the same old stuff Eve told Adam as she fed him apples.

Kane county bankers will pay $500 for bank robbers, but they must be dead at the time of delivery.

They x-rayed Mr. Small for broken bones and found none. But what did they find? Don't keep us in suspense.

Tell 'em in California that our climate is so mild we are wearing out fly swatters here in the middle of December.

That New York embargo is directed against turkeys, too; our chances for the Christmas feast are looking better.

THE CRIME INCREASE.

Indianapolis Daily News: It is about time that the American public awakened to a realization that life and property no longer are safe. Murder is a matter of almost daily occurrence. Robbery in some form happens still oftener.

It may be argued that there is no crime wave, and that fewer persons are being committed to correctional and penal institutions than in past years. If this is so, it means that adequate punishments are not keeping pace with the offense against the law. For one punished bandit there is at least one who gets away. When they are taken the defense thrown around them is out of all proportion to the effort the state is able to make to obtain a conviction. Alienists testify that the defendants are insane or that they suffer from the influence of dreams. The alibi witness is easily found and many measures are adopted to thwart the intent of the law. Let it be known that the criminal gets off easy and he will be all the more ready to take a chance.

Most crimes are said to be committed by young men. They sometimes kill and rob, not so much because they need the money as because they desire a thrill. Sobbing over them after they face a court is a waste of tears.

Lawbreaking today can be traced to those who know the quality of their acts, but who believe they have more chance to escape than they have to go to prison.

Something has to be done to make the streets safe for citizens, to make property rights respected and to relieve the community of terrorism. Nothing can do that so effectively as swift and certain punishment whenever it is deserved.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

SAD BUT TRUE.

"And they left their father Zebedee in the ship with the hired servants." Mark 1:20.

This is the first and last fact recorded about this man Zebedee. His two sons, James and John, heard the call of Jesus. What wonderful men they did become! Zebedee did not object to his boys going with Jesus, but he was busy in the boat. Sad, but true! Many men today allow business interests to crowd out the culture of the soul. They send the family but they are busy in the boat.—Rev. C. R. Booth, pastor First Methodist church of Pana.

$25 FOR THE CHEST FROM CALIFORNIA

James G. Parker Sends in Subscription.

A subscription of $25 to the Community Chest was received by mail from James G. Parker, who is now at Hollywood, Cal. He expects to return to Decatur in April, and make payment at that time.

A few other belated pledges are being received from residents now out of town, and others who are being followed up from the offices of the Chest. With these, it is hoped that the final total will top $80,000. Last year the amount pledged was a little over $79,000, so that, in spite of a rather slow start, the recent campaign will prove at least to be better than the one in 1923.

What Is Being Talked About

By the Spectator.

THE Three Tailors of Tooley Street ....the corner grocery....the village store....the town pump....the sewing circle....the quilting bee

"We, the People!"

..."First the blade, then the ear, then the full corn in the ear"....

About 1822 three very worthy men held an important meeting in Tooley Street, London, when George Canning was prime minster. They discussed certain popular grievances and public wrongs that they knew about. The three tailors ended up by addressing a lengthy petition to the House of Commons, which began with these impressive words: "We, *the People of England.*"

There are certain factors in this country of ours, the importance of which cannot be gainsaid. Men who loom large in the nation's affairs recognize this. They listen to the voice of the countryside; they take heed when the farmer halts his plow in the furrow and vents his opinion; they know that many a clear vision is had by men and women whose lives are simple and whose ways are plain. *Like Joan of Arc. And Abraham Lincoln.*

Here's a bit of news from the New Hampshire County Gazette printed in Massachusetts Nov. 20, 1890:

"Clark & Parsons' Drug Store is the chief headquarters for most of the Republican politicians these days. It is said that many nominations are started there. Among these is Lawyer Coolidge, who is planning on running for the Common Council. T. G. Spaulding says of him that he will one day be President."

A man by the name of Clarence Darrow, ("a criminal lawyer"), upheld the negative in a New York Town Hall debate the other day, the question being: "Is the Human Race Worth Working for?" Scott Nearing, ("a sociologist"), took the affirmative. *Pessimism vs. Optimism.*

Changing Opinions

It may be recalled by some of you that Mr. Darrow saved two charming young malefactors of great wealth from the gallows recently.

Now Mr. Darrow maintains that there is no such thing as human happiness, and hence he argues that the right to happiness does not exist. Progress is an illusion, a figment of the brain, according to this erudite gentleman, and human events merely move in a vicious circle. Men and women are just "*supermonkeys.*"

The Spectator once had some faint respect for Clarence Darrow as a man who had convictions and knew how to use them, who was at least sincere, who honestly believed the strange pronunicamentos which he issued. But, in another recent debate, this same Clarence Darrow had the effrontery to proclaim that a rich man always gets *the best of it in a court of justice.* While it's not hard to remember how he pleaded with tears in his voice that *a rich man never gets a square deal in a court of justice*—when he was endeavoring to cut the hempen rope that was taughtening around the necks of Messrs. Loeb and Leopold.

It might be argued that Mr. Darrow is himself the best examplar of the theory that the human race is not worth working for. But, thank God, all present-day humans are not cut from his piece of cloth.

EVERYBODY knows Allerton S. ("Al") Freeman. Aside from being a world-beater in the insurance game he is one of the local landmarks, our cap-and-bells, a human cocktail, Decatur's Baron Munchausen.

Al Must Look Out

(Those who know him best have reported certain serious changes in *Foxy Quiller* since he has taken on *avoirdupois* and *plutocracy.* But he is still an enlivening experience and an institution that yields pleasure to many).

Not long ago Clarence Wait met Allerton Freeman on a train. They foregathered later in a smoking compartment. And Clarence found Al holding forth "high, wide and handsome" to a group of men who were hanging on his words with open mouths. Clarence soon got onto the fact that Al was enacting the role of "Colonel Freeman the Texas Cattle King." Clarence played up to the occasion as an old friend and admirer of "the colonel," and followed the course of what followed with keen enjoyment.

Later the two Decatur men met in the diner and Al told Clarence that he had filled the strangers full of interesting information about "the famous Mr. Wait." ...."one of the foremost financiers of the middle west"...."the hub of the Illinois Power and Light Corporation"...."why, they don't pay him a salary—they just tell him to write his own checks for any amount that strikes his fancy!"

"Lord! Don't you ever get caught, Al," asked Clarence.

"Not ever. But I nearly got in bad once," came the prompt answer. "I had Lel Dillehunt with me in Chicago and was shining up my virtues before an interested group of listeners, just appreciating my well known merits—when Lel poked me in the ribs and I shut up. I asked him later about that poke and he said, 'You must look out how you pull that stuff, Boss. *Those folks are from Decatur!*'"

OBJECTION TO CRIME NEWS

Decatur Christian Scientist Writes a Letter.

Following is a communication printed in a recent issue of The Christian Science Monitor, dated from Decatur with the initials, "H. K. H. G.:"

"NEWS VALUES AND THE DAILY PRESS.

"To the Editor of The Christian Science Monitor:

"When I opened my local paper one day last week the headlines suggested a topical outline for another essay on 'Murder as a Fine Art.'

"Here are some of the items that greeted my eye: 'Woman's Body Put in Furnace'—'Blank's Slayers Elude Police'—'Wife and Children Found Hanging'—'Quarrel Over Wine Cause of Murder.' These items of supposedly major importance were surrounded by somewhat smaller items dealing with rumrunning, bank robbery, two railroad wrecks, a prize fight, a fire and some criminal court news.

"It is true that President Coolidge was headlined on this page, as was J. P. Morgan; but they seemed as much out of place as sheep among wolves. There is nothing unusual about this make-up, of which I complain. The breaking of the sixth and eighth commandments, and the sordid details thereof, form the 'piece de resistance' of our morning news meal. It is crime and death on the first page and the worth-while achievements wherever they can be fitted in conveniently.

"Your opposite policy makes The Monitor a joy to read. I open it each day with the certainty that it will tell me the story of human progress. The names of friends and acquaintances are mentioned in your columns sometimes, and it is not because they have been parties of the first or second part to some lurid crime, but because they have contributed in some way to the worth-while work that is being done on this subject.

"Decatur, Ill. H. K. H. G."

SAYS 100 DAYS LONG ENOUGH TO MAKE ALL LAWS

Macomb Solon for Auto Traffic Laws.

Macomb, Ill., Dec. 13—"One hundred days" is enough time for the 54th General Assembly to make all the laws Illinois needs, according to State Representative James H. Foster of Macomb. Such a session, Mr. Foster said, would save the state a considerable sum of money.

Chiefly, Mr. Foster believes, it is the duty of each member of the legislature to help hold down expenditures. Among other things he favors a state police force and more protection against reckless motorists.

DEMONSTRATES NEED

"Each year furnishes a further demonstration of the need of a properly organized State Police force," Mr. Foster said. "Such a force could materially assist in maintaining law and order, and reducing crime.

"Owing to the great increase in the number of motor vehicles and the large number of disastrous accidents on our public highways and streets of our cities, I feel the time has come when some legislation should be enacted that will furnish further protection to lives and property. At the present time a person whose total assets man consist of a $75 machine has the right, upon payment of a license fee of $8, to operate his vehicle upon our Public Highways or the streets of our cities.

NOT RESPONSIBLE

"With this car he may do many hundreds dollars of damage to other people's property or kill and injure men, women or children. Should he do this damage there is no possible chance to recover anything from him. I believe the time has come that every person who operates a motor vehicle in this state should be required to furnish a sufficient bond, or take out public liability and property damage insurance as a matter of protection to the public.

"I believe it is the duty of each individual member of the assembly to do everything possible to keep down the expenses of the state, wherever it may be done without proving detrimental to the best interests of the state. I thing it is just as important for a member to assist in preventing bad legislation as it is for him to be trying to cause passage of new legislation."

THE REVIEW'S FILM IN CLINTON THEATER

Will Be Part of Regular Bill Monday And Tuesday.

Clinton, Dec. 13—The Decatur Reviews film, "The story of The Review," is to appear at the Clintonia theater Monday and Tuesday of next week, as part of the regular bill. It will be shown both afternoon and

The Story of Decatur

THIRTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The [illegible])

The First Methodist church [illegible] gave one of the biggest dinners [illegible] held in the city. There were [illegible] people served and $300 was [illegible] from the dinner and bazaar.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(As Told in The Daily [illegible])

Dr. Robert J. Kellogg [illegible] faculty, gave his lecture on [illegible] "Congo Free State" before [illegible] audience in the First [illegible]

Miss Eugenia Ewing returned home from St. Mary's college for [illegible] days.

Thousands of women [illegible] reception given by the National [illegible] cuit company. Chocolate and [illegible] were served and souvenirs [illegible] given.

The Alpha Sigma [illegible] first "ladies' night" [illegible] programs with the fraternity [illegible] gram in black and red [illegible] the girls.

The Elks were to [illegible] "In Anyville" the book of which was [illegible]

TEN YEARS AGO

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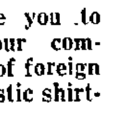

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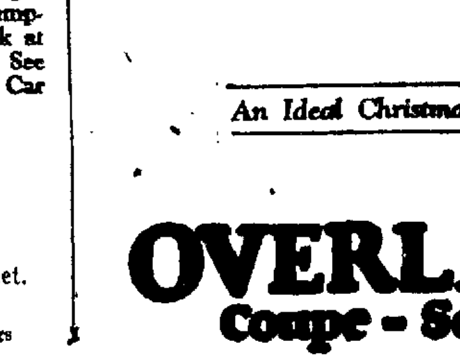

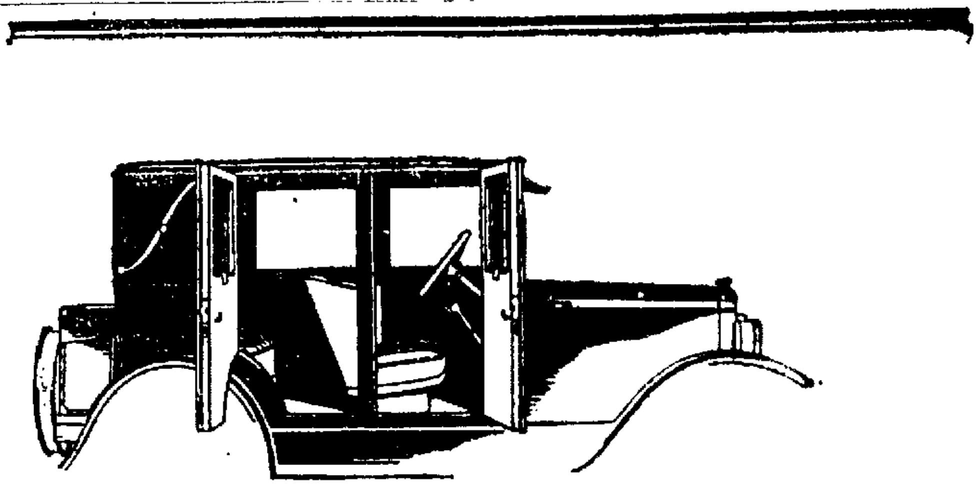

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Sullivan Marks Course Of Balance of Power

Notes Changes Already Made By Coolidge and Dawes In Dealings With Congress.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

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Washington, Dec. 13—To one who observes the government year in and year out, an interesting aspect of it is the tremulous shifting of that needle which marks the balance of power as between the White House and Congress. Sometimes the weight of presidential leaps toward the White House. Again, for months or years at a time, it ebbs back toward Congress.

All of the comparative prestige of the two branches is the question of degree of contact between them, the extent to which the President and members of the Cabinet actually see and talk to the members of Congress, the extent of co-operation and of mutual good feeling between the two branches.

HAVE BEARING.

Certain recent incidents have a bearing. President Coolidge departed this month, for one occasion at least, from the precedent that had been created after a hundred years by Woodrow Wilson, the precedent of the President delivering his addresses to Congress in person. It is not understood that President Coolidge's departure is permanent.

A distinction seems to have been drawn between addresses to a new Congress or addresses by a new President, and on the other hand, addresses that come during the life of existing congresses or existing Presidencies. It is assumed that President Coolidge will continue the practice of addressing Congress in person at the beginning of each new Congress. This would mean two years in the course of any one Presidency.

TAWLS DECISION.

Another example bearing on the question of how far two branches of the government come to each other or how far they stand off from each other was the decision that in the new administration, Vice-President Dawes shall not sit in the Cabinet.

Having the Vice-President sit in the Cabinet meeting was an innovation introduced by President Harding. In that case the innovation was valuable because it gave to Vice-President Coolidge an amount of detailed information about the pending business of the White House which enabled him, when he succeeded to the Presidency, to make the transition between Harding's Presidency and his own with less loss of time and with more of continuity of policy and detail than would otherwise have been possible. There was criticism of this innovation of Harding's.

DUE OCCUPATION.

The due occupation of the Vice-President is to preside over all the sessions of the senate, and to act as the deciding vote on questions on which the Senate is evenly divided. Since the Vice-President has little official contact with the Senate it was argued that there was more than policy in his sitting also as a member of the President's Cabinet. It was hoped that he might become a force in the Cabinet meetings and reveal there secrets of the Senate, or that he might become a force in the Senate and reveal there secrets of the Cabinet. This apprehension happened to be unfounded to a degree that was humorous in the case of Coolidge when he was Vice-President, for he numbers among his actions that one which says:

A wise old owl sat in an oak,
The more he heard the less he spoke,
The less he spoke the more he heard,
Why can't we all be like that bird?

HEART OF SITUATION.

That this objection to the innovation Harding introduced should have been brought up at all goes to the very heart of the situation. Such an objection rests on the assumption that the Cabinet has secrets from the Senate, and that the Senate has secrets from the Cabinet; that there is competition or even antagonism between them instead of co-operation. This assumption is precisely what is being combated just now by many critics of the government, and by some powerful persons within the government, who say that what is needed is less of the consciousness of separation between the President and his Cabinet on the one hand, and Congress on the other, and more of co-operation between them, more of identity of purpose.

In any event, this innovation introduced by Harding is now ended, for the Presidency of Coolidge, at least. Who initiated the ending of the practice—whether Dawes didn't want to keep it up or whether Coolidge didn't want it kept up—is not a matter of record. It is to be said that in the case of Dawes he has rather less need of acquiring knowledge of the work of the Presidency than most Vice-Presidents have. Dawes, by virtue of having initiated the budget system and having spent a year as the head of it, already has a comprehensive knowledge of the work of the executive branch of the government, and any event that might require him to assume the duties of the Presidency would find him practically as well equipped as he would be by sitting regularly in the Cabinet meetings.

THE BREAKFAST.

Another incident within this field of co-operation between the executive and legislative branches is the practice President Coolidge has started of having groups of ten or twelve senators and congressmen of his party take breakfast with him. This is an informal step toward mutual understanding and co-operation.

What is desired, however, and what is now being urged, is not informal co-operation, but formal and public co-operation. Specifically what is being urged is that members of the cabinet should appear on the floor of the house and senate, should answer questions. This suggestion has been put forward energetically on several occasions during the last time some more or less spectacular incident makes vivid the lost motion, the waste of energy, and the failure of good purposes, due to lack of closer co-operation between the executive and legislative branches.

ILLUSTRATE SYSTEM.

The present system can be illustrated by an actual spectacle which happened to be the first one of the kind I have ever seen, but which has been duplicated often. On this occasion the postmaster general in the cabinet was Frank Hitchcock. The head of the committee on postoffice in the senate was Thomas Carter of Montana. A postal appropriation bill was under consideration. Some of its details were attacked by the Democrats. Senator Carter, of course, did not know and could not know as much about the details of the postoffice as Postmaster General Hitchcock. And so one saw Postmaster General Hitchcock come into the senate and take a vacant seat alongside Senator Carter. Senator Carter would arise and speak.

A Democratic senator would interrupt him with a question. Thereupon Senator Carter would lean down, hold a conference with the postmaster general, and then raise his voice and give answer to the question. The postmaster general was restricted under the senate practice to being merely a kind of animated set of statistics, which could be consulted by a senator but could not speak for itself.

What is now proposed is just this: that the members of the cabinet should speak for themselves, should address the senate, should state their cases, make their pleas and answer questions and objections. There is no constitutional bar and no legal bar to this innovation. All that stands in the way is merely congressional custom.

A member of the cabinet cannot also be a member of the house or senate. That is fixed by the constitution. But the suggestion does not contemplate that the member of the cabinet shall be a member of the senate; it merely contemplates that he shall be permitted to appear on the floor and speak, without having a vote. The senate or the house can admit to the floor and permit to speak anybody they choose to invite. During the war persons as distant from membership in the senate or house as Mr. Balfour, the English statesman, and General Joffre actually appeared on the congressional floors and made speeches.

WILL APPEAR.

The awkwardness of the existing system will appear presently, in the consideration of pending postal matters. Postmaster General New has transmitted to the senate within the last two weeks a fact-finding report in which he sets out that the carrying of letters costs a certain sum per pound, the carrying of periodicals a different sum and the carrying of parcels post yet a different sum.

This report is going to be attacked by those who might be called upon by the implications of the report to pay higher postage rates. Questions will be asked as to just how Postmaster General New arrived at his various figures: What percentage of overhead did he charge against each branch of the postal service? Did he reckon any interest on the government money invested in postoffice buildings? Just how did he take account of the fact that postal matter under congressional frank is carried free? All these questions and infinite variations of them will be asked.

SENATOR STERLING.

Under the existing system the man who will answer these questions will be Senator Thomas Sterling, of South Dakota, who happens to be the chairman of the committee on postoffice affairs. On March 4 Senator Sterling will end his term. Thereafter Senator George Moses of New Hampshire, will be the chairman of the committee on postoffices, and it will be he who will answer the questions.

It may readily happen that either Senator Sterling or Senator Moses, or both, may fail to agree either with the facts presented by Postmaster General New or with his deductions. It may be that Postmaster General New, from his experience, thinks that the rate on periodicals should be raised, while Senator Sterling or Senator Moses may think they should not be raised. Or it may be the other way about. Postmaster General New may think, from his experience, that certain rates should not be raised, whereas Senator Sterling or Senator Moses may think the same rates should be raised. In any one of these many possible combinations of conditions there will be confusion and cross-purposes—due to the fact that Postmaster General New is not permitted to go on the senate floor, make his own statement, defend his own report and answer criticisms of it. The way that would be at once the surest and the clearest for informing the public and arriving at correct legislation would be for Postmaster General New to appear on the floor of the senate and speak for himself. Three years ago Mr. New was a senator and spoke at will. But as postmaster general he is silenced. He is not silenced by the constitution or by law. He is silenced merely by the custom of the senate. The new innovation proposed could be put into effect by the senate at any minute of any day by a simple declaration. Indeed, it could be done just happen. One amusing way to precipitate the innovation would be for Postmaster General New to walk in, and at such a moment as his senatorial experience would teach him to be appropriate, rise and says his say.

HUGHES AND BORAH.

Another present illustration of cross-purposes is illustrated by the situation of Secretary Hughes and Senator Borah.

Mr. Hughes is secretary of state, and as such has charge of foreign relations. In the Senate Mr. Borah is chairman of the committee on foreign relations, and as such has a degree of power within the field of treaty-making and other foreign relations—a degree of power which is not closely defined, and because it is not closely defined and because it shifts from time to time with the varying energy or inertia of the personalities involved—composes one of the patent difficulties of our governmental system.

That Secretary Hughes and Senator Borah differ about some aspects of our foreign relations is a matter of record and widespread public information. To state it broadly and without any attempt to define it minutely, or even accurately, Secretary Hughes believes in not making a treaty with the present government of Russia, whereas Senator Borah believes in some degree of understanding with Russia. This difference of opinion under our present practice leads to embarrassment for both men and a regrettable slowing up of action. More accurately, it leads to inaction.

WHAT AWAITS.

To state for purposes of illustration what is not likely to happen as regards Russia, but it is quite possible to happen as regards any other country: Secretary Hughes may make a treaty. That treaty does not go into effect until it is ratified by the Senate. Under the existing system the man who has charge of the treaty in the Senate is the chairman of the committee on foreign relations, who is Senator Borah. If Senator Borah does not like that treaty it will not fare well in the Senate. This has been proved again and again within very recent memory in the cases of treaties or other foreign arrangements made by President Wilson or by President Harding and not approved of by Senator Lodge, who was Senator Borah's predecessor as head of the foreign relations committee.

Obviously, if Secretary Hughes makes a treaty he should have the opportunity when he sends that treaty to the Senate for ratification to make out the best case for it that he is able to make out. The fortunes of that treaty should be intrusted not to one who believes in it but to one who believes in it. If Secretary Hughes' treaty is not approved by whichever Senator happens to be chairman of the foreign relations committee it is hardly within human nature, even at its best, to expect that the Senatorial custodian of the treaty will push it as vigorously or can make out as good a case for it as would be made out by the secretary of state who wrote it.

TREATY TO FLOOR.

Under the suggested change in governmental procedure, Secretary Hughes would carry the treaty on to the Senate floor himself, would explain it, would argue in favor of it and would answer arguments against it.

What has actually happened in recent years is this: The Secretary of State negotiates a treaty and sends it to the Senate. The Senate, under the regular procedure, deposits it in the committee on foreign relations, which committee, as has usually happened in recent years, has a chairman who is nearly all-powerful and who is unsympathetic to the treaty. Presently newspaper reports appear stating indirectly, or upon the authority of anonymous Senators, that there are objections to the treaty. The Secretary of State may be able to meet these objections. If he is, his recourse is to inspire other indirect statements in the newspapers giving the other side. On occasion the Secretary of State, knowing that the chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations is unfriendly to his treaty, may resort more or less furtively to conferences with other Senators, may be reduced to a kind of secret lobbying for his measure. As Justice Story, in his "Commentaries," says: "The executive is compelled to resort to secret and unseen influences, to private interviews and private arrangements to accomplish his own appropriate purposes, instead of proposing and sustaining his own duties and measures by a bold and manly appeal to the nation in the face of its representatives."

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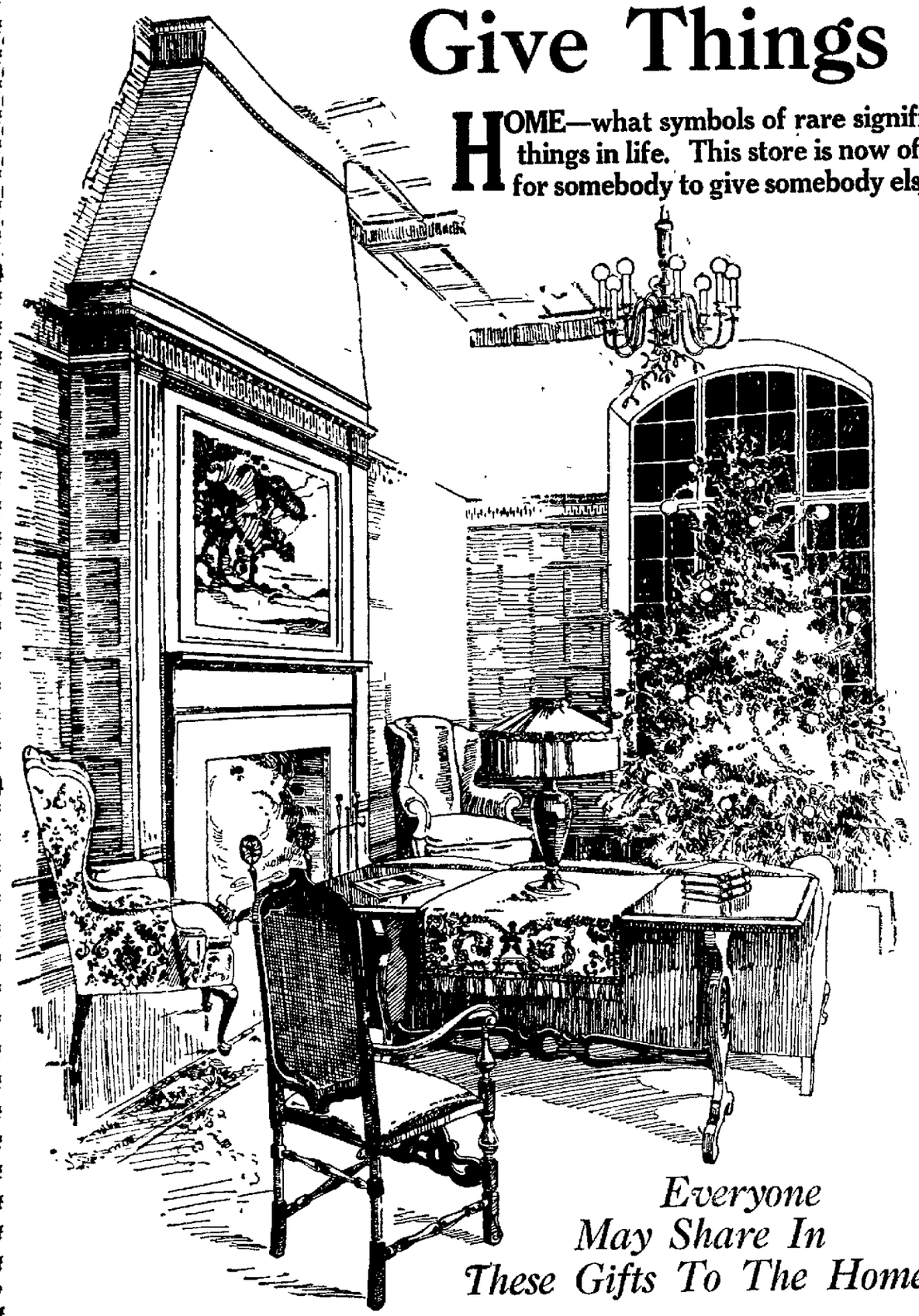

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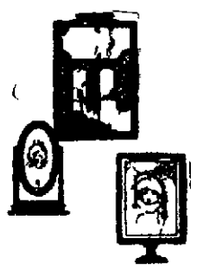

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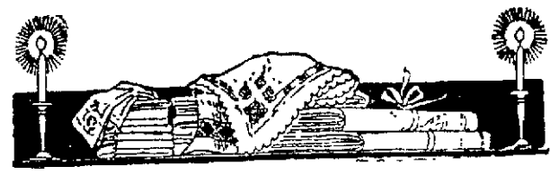

Here Is Another Suggestion—Replenish the Linen Closet

IN our Linen department on the second floor you will find an unusual selection of beautiful linens. Every home will need these, for they are nice to give to Mother, sister or to the young girl who is about to be married.

Hemstitched table cloth 60 x 72 size—and half dozen napkins to match all for $5.00.

Lunch set 54x54 cloth and half dozen napkins to match—red and blue bordered sets, $2.75 set.

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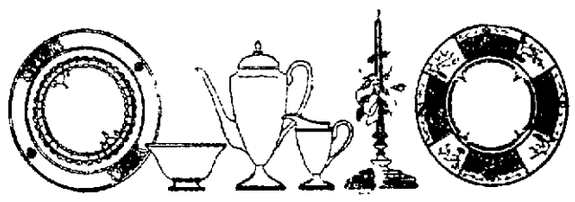
Linen table cloth—bordered all around—2½ yards long, $7.45.

Japanese Table Cloth, all in one piece—60x60 size, $1.98 each.

Linen napkins, 19x19 size—good quality, $5.00 dozen.

Hemstitched linen table cloth and one dozen napkins to match, set, $22.

Second Floor



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Jelly Comports, 65c-75c.

Ash Trays, 15c, 75c and 85c.

Wall Vases, $1.25.

Flower Baskets, 75c.

Fourth Floor

Pottery

Jardineres, $1.00, up to $4.00.

Vases, 85c up to $2

Flower Bowls, 85c to $2.25.

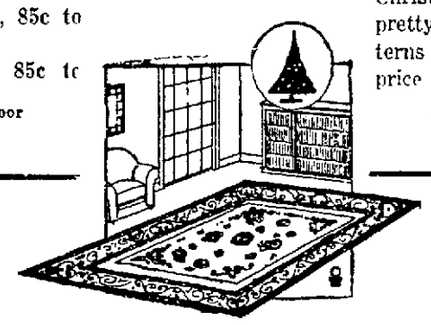
Fern Dishes, 85c to $2.00.

Fourth Floor

Dinner Sets

Give the home a new dinner set this Christmas — many pretty and new patterns that range in price from $9.98 up.

Fourth Floor



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Wool O Rugs

For your bath room and bed rooms—these make the most useful of Christmas gifts. All fast colors. $3.25, $4.25 and $6.75.

Coco Mats

For the front porch are always appreciated. This is the finest quality mat made. 85c, $1.50 and $2.98.

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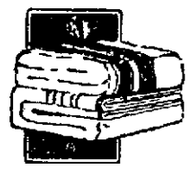

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SURELY there is no warmer way of conveying Christmas greetings to a friend than with a lovely fluffy blanket. Though they range in price you can get some excellent values at $5.

Beacon Comfortables—72x84 size. Bound with grosgrain silk all around a beautiful covering. Rose,, blue and gold. $9.75.

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Down Comforts

72x84 size—pure down filling—high grade. Pretty floral coverings. Well filled. $18 each.

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Second Floor

Silverware

WHY not give your home silverware? We have a beautiful selection moderately priced. Only a few are mentioned.

Bread Trays, $1.48.
Cracker and Cheese set, $1.48.
Bon Bon Dishes, $1.48.
Tea Sets, $6 and $7.50.
Fruit Comports, $3.48 to $6.00.

Fourth Floor

Pyrex Casserole

MOUNTED in nickel plated frames —each $2.50, $3.00 and $3.25.
Pyrex Pie Plates in mountings, $2.25
This is certainly a practical gift that no home should be without.

Fourth Floor

Practical Occasional Furniture

THE custom among families of giving gifts to the home is growing more popular every year—A home is never complete. There is always something to add, something of beauty, something of comfort. In our furniture department on the fifth floor you will find many suggestions.

Cedar Chests

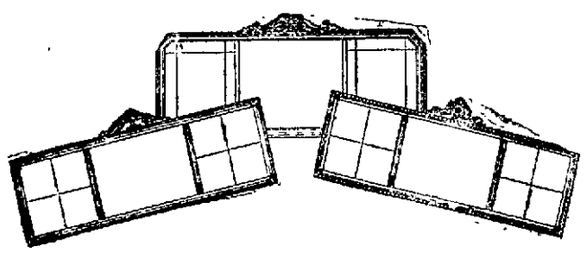
For mother, for sister, for sweetheart these beautiful chests will solve the gift problem. We have them in natural and mahogany finish. Priced from $12.50 up

Lamps

Here is a gift that will outshine all the others. It will not only bring cheer to the home on Christmas but every day in the year. Priced from $14.95 up.

Smoking Stands

Give Dad a smoking stand for Christmas and you will have no trouble in converting him into a tidy smoker. He will really enjoy one. Priced up from $2.25.



Beautiful Mirrors

Interestingly Priced

Perhaps there's a vacant wall space that just needs one of these beautiful mirrors. See them on display on our fifth floor just to the left as you step off the elevator.

Chairs

Perhaps Mother has been wishing for a nice new chair for all her own. Here you will find a selection that is sure to please. Priced up from $14.95.

Day Beds

Genuine Simmons day beds that are all comfort—perhaps there's just a place for one of these in your den or living room. Priced at $27.50.

Furniture Department, Fifth Floor

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SOCIETY

MISS WIKOFF TO WED RICHARD HEAD

Ceremony to Take Place Dec. 29.

At a pretty bridge party given Saturday evening by Miss Juanita Wikoff in her home, 1654 North Water street, announcement was made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Wikoff to Richard [illegible] Head, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Head, 1656 North Main street, the wedding to take place Monday, Dec. 29, in the home of the bride-to-be's parents.

The guests Saturday evening were intimate friends of Miss Wikoff and members of the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, to which she belongs. Several tables of bridge were at play, Christmas decorations and novelties being used. The news was made known at the luncheon served by the hostess following the bridge-play.

Miss Wikoff attended Decatur schools and was a student at the James Millikin university where she is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. She has been teaching a Maroa this winter.

Mr. Head attended the Millikin university where he is a member of Kappa Delta [illegible] fraternity. He has been located in Champaign for several months [illegible] connected with the Gelvin [illegible] Shop. Mr. Head has accepted a position as assistant cashier with the Sexton Manufacturing company in Fairfield, Ill., and after a wedding trip to Canada the young couple will make their home in Fairfield.

Both Miss W[illegible] and Mr. Head [illegible] Decatur [illegible] Millikin university students.

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Mrs. W[illegible] M. [illegible] was in St. J[illegible] Friday. Her brother-in-law, George Blackwelder, is critically ill at his home there. His daughter, Mrs. Frank S[illegible] of New Orleans, is at his bedside with the unmarried daughter, Miss [illegible] Blackwelder. Mrs. George W[illegible] is unable to be with them because of her husband's serious illness.

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Mrs. Alberta Barnes Head of Chicago is expected to arrive in Decatur the day before Christmas to pass the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Albert Barnes, Powers Lane. Mrs. Head's two sons, Bobby and Billy, who attend St. Albans school, will arrive Saturday, Dec. 20, to pass the Christmas vacation with their mother and grandmother. William C. Barnes will come Sunday, Dec. 21, to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Barnes.

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A. M. KENNEYS GIVE PRETTY PARTY AT COUNTRY CLUB

One of the charming parties being given before Christmas was the dinner-bridge given Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kenney in the Country Club, covers being laid for sixty guests. The Christmas idea was carried out in the table and club decorations and in the menu, the color scheme of silver, red and green being effectively used. Lighted red candles in silver candleholders and candles in the silver candelabra with the base twined in silver holly leaves and red berries were used on the one long table where the guests were seated. Balls of evergreen hung from the lights. In the living room a fire burned merrily and on the mantel were tall read candles and greenery.

The place-cards and tallies were in keeping with the holiday season.

Following the dinner, bridge was played, with high score prize for women going to Miss Jeanette Rogers, second high to Mrs. Charles G. Powers, and third, Mrs. Elizabeth Burner. In the prizes for men, high score prize was awarded Edward Powers, second, R. D. Wood, and third prize, F. W. Cruikshank.

Assisting Mrs. Kenney during the evening were Mrs. H. I. Baldwin, Mrs. Charles G. Powers, Mrs. Della P. Gushard, Mrs. H. M. Owen and Mrs. W. M. Wood.

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Mrs. Porter J. Millikin is passing the holiday season with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Fleatye and family in Aurora.

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Miss Martha Jane Bachman, who attends school in Connersville, Ind., will arrive next Saturday to pass the Christmas vacation with her father, W. G. Bachman.

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MR. AND MRS. THERON A. POWERS and the latter's mother, Mrs. Jones, Powers Lane, are leaving Dec. 20 for El Paso, Texas, where they will pass the Christmas holiday. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Powers' daughters, Mrs. C. N. Bassett and family and Mrs. Ernest Sauer and family.

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Miss Edwina Irving is entertaining 125 guests with a dancing party Monday evening, Dec. 22, in the Country Club.

S. A. I. ALUMNAE IN CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sigma Alpha Iota alumnae entertained the actives, pledges and patronesses of the sorority with a Christmas party and buffet supper Saturday evening in the home of Miss Wilna Moffett, 711 West Forrest avenue, guests numbering approximately fifty. Decorations were in keeping with the Christmas spirit. Following the supper a tree and a grab bag were the features of the evening.

On Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock Theta Nu chapter of S. A. I. will have a musical tea in the home of Miss Ruth Walters, West Prairie avenue. The following program will be given:

Miss Helen Faircloth, voice selections—"There's a Song in the Woods for You," Eanos, and "A Resolve" (Fontenailles).

Miss Henrietta Clark, piano—"By the Seashore" (Smetana).

Miss Wilna Moffett, piano—"Lotus Land" (Cyril Scott).

Miss Gladys Phillis, voice—"The Angel's Song" (William Stickle). Duet obbligato, Miss Frances Martin, 'cello, and Miss Charlotte Bachman, violin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey S. Firestone and little daughter, Elizabeth, of Akron, O., plan to pass the Christmas holidays in Decatur with Mrs. Firestone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy J. Parke, West William street.

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MRS. FRANK GODWIN was hostess to several guests with an attractive 1 o'clock luncheon Saturday in her country home on the East William street hard road, in compliment to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Marion G. Godwin, a new resident of Decatur. Guests were local young women who passed the summer in England, Mrs. Godwin's former home, and where she spent the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Noll of Wichita, Kan., plan to arrive Dec. 20 to pass the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Osgood and their little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Palmer Osgood and their month old son, Willard Palmer, Jr., of Chicago, are coming Saturday afternoon to remain until after the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. James W. Osgood.

Mrs. Harold M. Osgood and Mrs. Willard P. Osgood are sisters and the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Noll.

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WEDDING INVITATIONS
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YOUNG FOLK TO BE PARTY GUESTS

Invitations were issued Saturday by Miss Helen D. Voorhies and her brother, Andre S. Voorhies, for a bridge party to be given Saturday evening, Dec. 27, in their home in North Pine street. Guests will be the young people who attend school out of town and also young folk who attend school in Decatur.

Young Mr. Voorhies attends Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Penn., and expects to arrive in a week or so from his school to pass the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ida C. Voorhies.

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MRS. I. N. TOMLINSON has issued invitations for a pre-Christmas bridge party to be given in her home in South Monroe street, Friday afternoon, Dec. 19.

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DELPHIANS TO STUDY BEETHOVEN

The musician, Beethoven, will be studied at the regular meeting of the West End Delphian chapter Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the Y. W. C. A. rooms in the Millikin university. The following topics will be given:

"The Life of Beethoven"—Mrs. R. R. Montgomery.

"Beethoven as a Composer" and "The Variation"—Mrs. M. C. Nelson.

"Sonatas" and "Symphonies"—Mrs. J. D. Prestley.

"Fidelio"—Mrs. J. J. Moran.

"Technique of Beethoven" and "Beethoven's Relation to Art"—Mrs. W. J. Saling.

Tickets for the Millikin Extension course may be secured at the meeting Monday. It is urged that all members who have ordered the tickets take them at this time as the first of the series will be given on Jan. 8, before another meeting of the Delphian chapter. Mrs. Eugenie M. Bacon is leader for the Monday meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Tomlinson of Omaha, Neb., formerly residents of Decatur, are expected to arrive about Dec. 22 to pass the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Tomlinson, South Monroe street.

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MRS. ORA MUELLER BLAIR and her daughter, Miss Lenore Mueller, returned the first of the week from Hot Springs, Ark., where they passed several weeks. Miss Mueller is spending several days in Chicago and plans to return the middle of the week.

About the first of February Mrs. Blair and her daughter will leave for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will remain until the last of March.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Steele motored to Champaign where they will pass the week-end with the latter's sister, Mrs. Sarah E. Tierney.

Hon. Kent E. Keller, who has been passing the week with the G. D. Steeles, left Friday for his home in Ava, Ill.

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Members of the Wednesday Bridge club were entertained Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. C. Dewey in Faries park.

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BOWMAN STUDIO PUPILS TO APPEAR IN DANCE REVUE

Thirty-five of the dance pupils of the Bowman Dance Studio, conducted by the Misses Grace and Gladys Bowman, will appear in a dance revue, "Forty Pink Toes," at the Lincoln Square theater, Jan. 1, 2 and 3. Although the Misses Bowman have presented their pupils in revues before, this will be the first time that they have appeared at the local theaters.

The dances will be [illegible] and staged by the Bowman sisters and the costumes will be especially designed by them, and executed by the mothers of the pupils.

There will be three performances each day, matinee and two evening performances during the three days exhibit.

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The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] W. Miller, North Water street, are expected to pass the holidays with their parents in Decatur. Jerome Miller, a senior at law school at Ann Arbor, will come directly on the close of school and Kenneth Miller, who is in business in Chicago, will be here a short time at Christmas.

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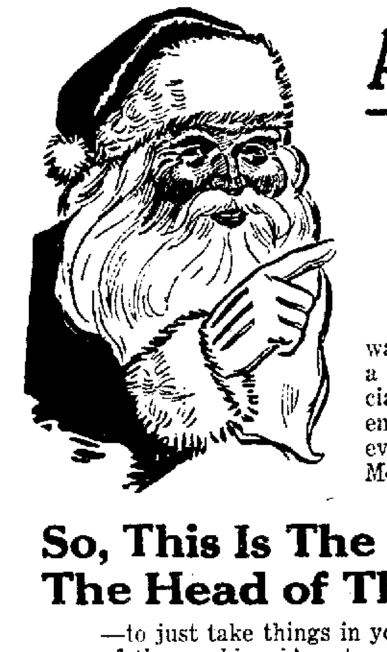
Miss Belle Ewing will return from Chicago on Monday after a several days visit with friends.



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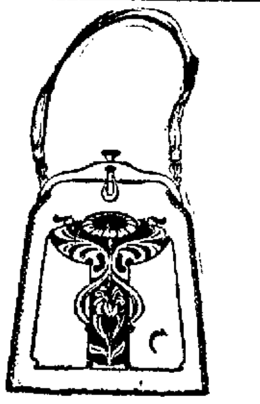

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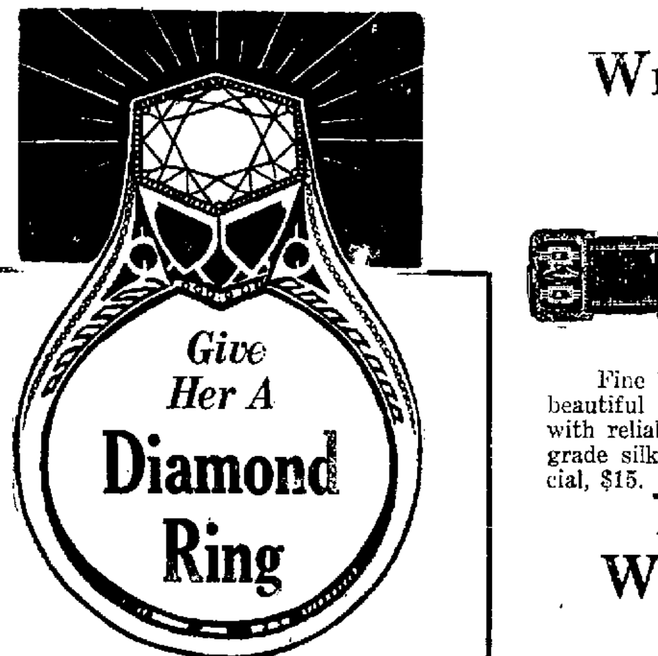

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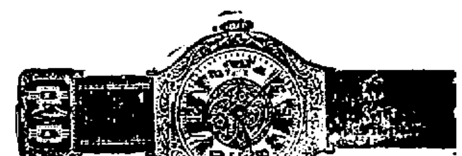

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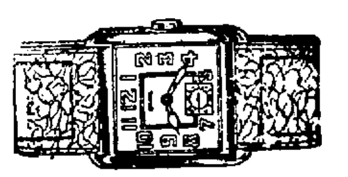

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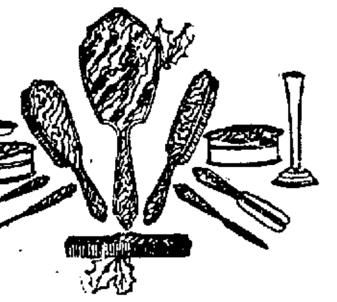

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MRS. E. H. WYRICK will entertain the members of the Anniversary Bridge club in her home Tuesday with a 1 o'clock luncheon. The annual Christmas party will be held during the afternoon.

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Wayne Gill of the Northwestern Military academy, Lake Geneva, plans to arrive in Decatur to pass the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Gill.

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Members of the Tuesday Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Dan W. Tait for a 1 o'clock luncheon, followed by bridge, on Tuesday.

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MRS. SMITH CROWDER will be the guest of honor at a bridge party to be given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Paul Fortler and her sister, Miss Ida C. Voorhies, in the home of the latter, 310 North Pine street.

Guests will be Mrs. Crowder's close friends.

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Miss Jane Irving, who attends Rosemary Hall, Greenwich, Conn., plans to arrive in Decatur, Dec. 21, to pass the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. H. P. Irving, Millikin Place.

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INVITATIONS have been issued for a series of two parties to be given this week by Mrs. Earl L. Dawson and Mrs. A. M. Corran, both affairs to be 1 o'clock bridge-luncheons in the Dawson home, 1251 West Macon street.

The first party will be on Wednesday and the second will be on Friday. Five tables of bridge will be at play following each luncheon.

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Mrs. T. M. Kilbride of Springfield, state president of the Parent-Teachers association, passed Friday night in Decatur, the guest of Mrs. C. P. Guest, Commodore apartments. Mrs. Kilbride was en route to Shumway where she spoke Saturday evening before the association of that place. Local members of the state board of the Parent-Teachers' association motored [illegible] Bement with Mrs. Kilbride Saturday morning in order to [illegible].

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THE Knights of Columbus ladies' [illegible] party will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the K. of C. [illegible] will be Mrs. C. A. [illegible], Mrs. John Fitzgerald, [illegible] Clark and Miss Anna [illegible].

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Miss [illegible] Schudel, a senior at De Pauw university in Greencastle, Ind., will return Dec. 19 to pass the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Schudel, 1030 West Decatur street.

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ONE of the [illegible] parties for the Decatur young people to be given during the holidays will be that of Miss Edith Chapman, the affair to be an afternoon tea on Tuesday, Dec. 30, in her home in West Prairie avenue, in compliment to Miss Esther Esird of North Carolina. Guests will number approximately fifty.

Miss Esird will arrive with Miss Chapman and Miss Fanny Powers and will visit both young women. The three girls attend the University of Wisconsin.

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Pledges of Kappa Delta Chi fraternities will entertain the alumni and actives of the fraternity with a smoker Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the chapter house, West Wood street.

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MRS. DELOS COZAD, Mrs. Lee Hembrook and Mrs. Horace Dickinson entertained the members of the B. B. M. J. club with a Christmas party and 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday in the Mueller Lodge. Decorations were in keeping with the Christmas spirit. Following the luncheon three tables of cards were at play, high score prize going to Mrs. Cozad, second, Mrs. John Schudel, and consolation to Mrs. Beecher Hughey. The next meeting will be Wednesday, Dec. 31, with Mrs. Frank Gollings, West Prairie avenue.

TO RETURN FOR HOLIDAY VACATION

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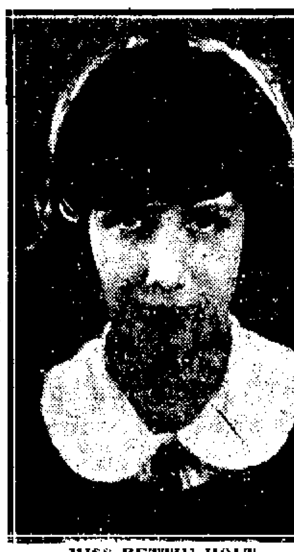

MISS BETTIE HOLT

MISS FANNY POWERS

MISS VIRGINIA LIPSCOMB

MISS ELIZABETH TAIT

Decatur Students in Various Colleges.

With the approach of Christmas time, the thoughts of many Decatur people, especially those who have sons and daughters away at school, turn to the homecoming of the students for the holiday vacation. The majority of the young people plan to come home soon after Dec. 19, when most of the schools close for the Yuletide season.

Among the girls who attend school away from Decatur, and who will soon arrive to pass the Christmas vacation with their parents, are the following: Miss Clara Elizabeth Warnes, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Warnes, West Main street, who is a student at the University of Wisconsin; Miss Constance Waltz, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Foster Waltz, Powers Lane, also a student at the University of Wisconsin; Miss Helen Mathilda Bachman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bachman, West Wood street, who attends Smith college; Miss Margaret Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wood, West Decatur street, a student at Wellesley; Miss Aileen P. Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cook, West William street, who is at school in St. Mary's Notre Dame, South Bend, Ind.; Miss Bettie Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Holt, South Edward street, a student at Randolph-Macon, Virginia; Miss Fanny Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powers, Powers Lane, who attends the University of Wisconsin; Miss Virginia Lpiscomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lipscomb, South College street, a student at Christian college, Missouri, and Miss Elizabeth Tait, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Tait, West Prairie avenue, who attends Lindenwood college, St. Charles, Mo.

ENTERTAIN FOR MISS CONKLIN

Mrs. John F. Allen, South Monroe street, was hostess to the intimate friends of Miss Jane Conklin, who will become the bride of Wilson M. Bering, Jr., on Jan. 3, with a bridge party Saturday afternoon, two tables being at play. Roses were used in decorating. High score prize was awarded Miss Frances Cruikshank and consolation prize went to Mrs. Ebert Mueller. Luncheon was served following the play.

On Sunday evening, Dec. 28, Miss Frances Cruikshank will entertain a few intimate friends of the bride-elect and her fiance with a buffet supper in her home in West William street.

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The Daughsis club will have its Christmas party at the home of Miss Nessie Foale, 1601 East William street, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 17.

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Mr. and Mrs. Corwin H. Johns, Ewing avenue, entertained the members of their bridge club with a buffet supper Saturday evening in their home. Following the supper there were several tables of bridge at play.

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THETA GAMMA HAS CHRISTMAS DANCE

The Alumnae chapter of the Theta Gamma sorority entertained with a dance Saturday evening in the chapter house in honor of the actives of the sorority. The affair was a Christmas dance. One of the features was a balloon dance during the evening. Out-of-town guests in attendance were Miss Vera Redgers of Charleston and Miss Lillian Thomas of Harvel.

On Friday evening the pledges of the sorority entertained the actives with a five hundred and bridge party in the home of the Misses Catherine and Helen Scurlock. Six tables were at play. Christmas decorations were used. High score prizes were won by Miss Frances Mount and Miss Thelma Hill. Favors of roses were given each guest. Light refreshments were served.

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QUITE a number of Decatur residents attended the wedding of Miss Reba McCredie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McCredie of Aurora, and Walker Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Mills, which was solemnized Saturday evening at 8:30 in the home of the bride's parents in Aurora. Among those attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Walker, Miss Edith Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mills, Miss Louise Mills, J. E. Tackaberry and S. W. Johns.

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Mrs. Freeman Wilmeth and Mrs. David S. Oakes will give the first of their series of two bridge parties Tuesday afternoon, the affair to be in the Wilmeth home in West Wood street. The second party will be on Thursday, Dec. 18.

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The annual children's Christmas party for children of the members of the Delta Delta Delta Alliance will be held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. R. McGaughey, 175 Oak Crest, with Mrs. McGaughey, Mrs. Joseph F. Gaugher and Mrs. Ross Lloyd as hostesses. It is expected that approximately twenty-five children will be in attendance. Santa Claus and his pack will be in evidence to furnish a treat for the youngsters.

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PRETTY PARTY AT ESHELMAN HOME

Holly wreaths, lighted red candles tied with red bows, decorated Christmas trees and red cut flowers beautifully decorated the G. Roy Eshelman home, West Wood street, at the 1 o'clock bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. Eshelman Saturday, covers being laid for forty-five guests. Red predominated in the house and table decorations and in the menu.

Following the luncheon, eleven tables of bridge were at play, high score prize being won by Mrs. Fred Tuttle and second high score going to Mrs. L. S. Rothchild of Springfield, formerly a resident of Decatur. Favors were given each guest.

Assisting Mrs. Eshelman was Mrs. G. Lorenz Miller, Mrs. Norman Stoutenborough of Maroa and Mrs. Rothchild of Springfield were out of town guests.

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Judge and Mrs. James S. Baldwin who are in Chicago, plan to return to Decatur about Dec. 20.

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Arthur Gleason, who attends Notre Dame, will pass he Christmas vacation with his parents in Decatur.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Lutz of Santiago, Chile, arrived in Decatur Saturday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Imboden.

Mr. Lutz is connected with the Santiago office of the Allis-Chalmers company and has been in Santiago for the last five years.

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CHILDREN'S VESPERS TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The vesper services of the Child Culture department of the Millikin Conservatory will be conducted Friday afternoon at 4:30 in Kaeuper Hall. The services are to be solemn and beautiful, as they usually are. The parents of the children are invited to attend.

On Wednesday morning during the regular kindergarten period the annual Christmas party and tree will be held.

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The Mystery Pinochle club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Verbarg, 1535 West Decatur street, with three tables at play.

The high score was made by Mrs. M. D. Fultz, second, Mrs. Verbarg, and third, Mrs. C. Simsky. Consolation went to Mrs. George Cook.

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The Happy Twelve club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Frank Volkkman, 320 South Church street. The next meeting will be Wednesday, Dec. 17, in the home of Mrs. Gertrude Vording, 800 North Water street, at which time the club will have its annual Christmas party.

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The Royal Twelve Five Hundred club will meet with Mrs. Ethelda Zetterland, 2600 North Church, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 16. This is the Christmas party for the club.

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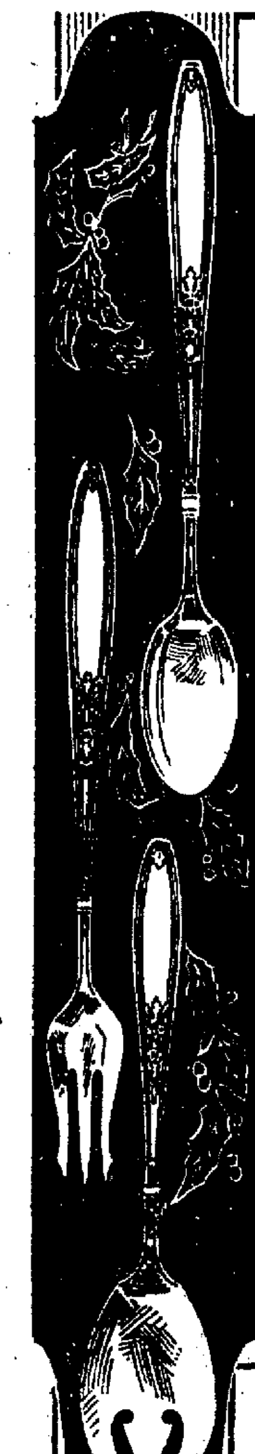

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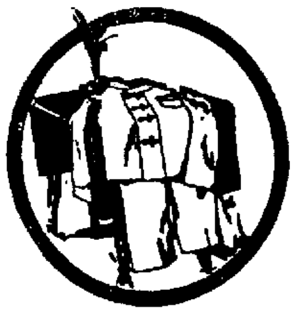

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Woman's Club Divisions' Plans for Week.

Three of the four divisions of the Woman's Club will have Christmas parties this week all of them to be [illegible] in the [illegible] rooms in the Congregational [illegible] Members will bring gifts to [illegible] ties and they will [illegible] to the children at [illegible] charitable institutions.

[illegible] DIVISION

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...mas Carol (Gaynor) Accompanying Mrs Richeson will be Mrs Bacon Miss Consuella Cummins will read If I Had No Come (Jones) and Miss Helen Corham will read The Vision of Christmas (Mabie) The division will sing Christmas carols

TO SOCIAL SERVICE

On account of numerous organizations donating gifts to the local charitable institutions members of the P[illegible] division have decided to give the toys and gifts each member brings to the Christmas party Tuesday evening in the club rooms to [illegible] Social Service bureau and he[illegible] is will be distributed to a place where they are most needed. The party will begin at 7:4[illegible] on Tuesday evening. Each member is to bring one colored yarn and a needle to make tarlatan bags for the Christmas t[illegible]

D[illegible] Butler Day Chandler Mrs W A Wallrider the Misses Carrie Knapp Cora Hamilton and Minnie S[illegible] compose the committee in charge Miss A Alta Dawson is leader for the month

MR POWERS SPEAKS

Floyd Powers will talk on Grand Opera at the meeting of Art and Literature division of the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon in the club rooms in the Congregational church

Selections from Carmen and from Samson and Delilah will be sung by Miss Gladys Phillis

The annual Christmas party for members of the division will be held during the afternoon. Each member is to bring an inexpensive gift that [illegible] to be given the Day Nursery and [illegible] On [illegible] Mrs W D M[illegible] will read [illegible] for the month

WOMEN PRISONERS

Mrs C S Stice will have as her subject Federal Women Prisoners at the regular meeting of Civics division of the Woman's Club Thursday morning at 9:30 in the club rooms Current news will be given following the talk

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A miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Ethel G Adams who will wed Guy W Latterst during the holidays Friday evening in the home of her parents Mr and Mrs C L Adams 10[illegible] East Prai[illegible] avenue Each one presented the bride a valuable gift. The evening was passed unwrapping the gifts and hearing a humorous reading Aunt Phoebe's Proposal by Mrs Arthur Hayes and a solo by Miss Hazel Adams sister of the bride to be Delicious refreshments were served

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Olive Branch Camp No [illegible] will have its regular meeting Monday night at 7 o'clock in the Woodman hall following the meeting the Christmas program will be given as follows

Vocal solo—Freda Coombs
Reading—Miss Goodrich
Piano solo—Jack Lutman
Saxophone solo—Robert Batten

Santa Claus will be there with a treat for those present. The party is for members of the camp and their families

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Mrs Anna L Brown and daughter Mrs Elmer Luntlinger entertained Wednesday with a block party entertaining all the families of the 100 block West Eldorado street It was a white elephant party and was enjoyed very much by all present

Mrs Frank Elliott was assistant hostess Refreshments were served

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The I E T club met all day Thursday with Mrs L F Salmon at which time members exchanged gifts A Christmas party was planned for Saturday evening Dec 20 in the home of Mr James Conaty 103[illegible] West Wood street for members and their families

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Mrs Marie Heisler entertained the girls of the Millikin bank at her home 519 East Lawrence Wednesday evening Four tables of bunco were at play with prizes going to Misses [illegible] Van Winkle and Edith Smith The hostess served refreshments

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The You Win M[illegible] Hundred club will meet with Mrs P W Groves 20 Las Orchard Thursday afternoon

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The Annie [illegible] Five Hundred club was entertained in the home of Mrs A L Benskin 841 North Monroe Tuesday afternoon with three tables at play Prizes went to Mrs J N Armintrout Mrs J T Cook Mrs Charlie Burg and Mrs H F Payne The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs [illegible] 118 North Illinois

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Mrs W F Wiegand [illegible] East Orlando entertained the East We[illegible] club Thursday afternoon Three tables were at play during the afternoon with prizes awarded to Mrs Dora Hargis, to Mrs I Schario Mrs J C Bobl and Mrs [illegible] Drennen The club will meet in four weeks with Mrs P W Allen

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The C[illegible] Five Hundred club was entertained in the home of Mrs James Booze [illegible] East Cordi Thursday afternoon Mrs H J Turner Mrs Charles Crump Mrs William Jeschawitz and Mrs H L Lanbolt won the prize The next meeting will be with Mrs Crump

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The Mayflower [illegible] of mothers had a house warming Thursday night for Mr and Mrs Walter Woolhman in their new home 1444 North Oakland The evening was spent in music and dancing The club will meet Thursday night with Mrs Mary W[illegible] 715 West Leafland This is the Christmas party

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The Tri Phi so[illegible] will have its meeting in the home of Miss Ella Conel 42 West Packard Monday night instead of with Mrs Paul B[illegible] as formerly planned

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The Good L[illegible] club was entertained in the home of Mrs G D Henly 1306 North Edward, Wednesday afternoon Prizes were awarded Mrs F C Little Mrs W Stocks and Mrs Baker The next meeting will be Dec 1[illegible], in the home of Mrs Little 154[illegible] North Main at which time the women will have a gift exchange

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The Lucky Thirty One club met Thursday evening with Mr and Mrs George Ferrell 1[illegible] West Washington street with a large number of members and friends being present The time was spent in music and card playing Refreshments were served The club will have a Christmas party in the home of Mrs Ellis Cas[illegible] North Jasper street [illegible]

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The Royal Palm club met last Wednesday evening with Mr and Mrs Guy Arp South Main street Pinochle was played and luncheon was served

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The Mizpah Five Hundred club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs Stanley Lahners 4[illegible]6 East Grand avenue with three tables at play Prizes were won by Mrs B Sadorus Miss Wilma Bower Mrs Robert Behnke and Mrs Walter Behnke Following the annual Christmas gift exchange was held The gifts were placed about the Christmas tree and Mrs Lahners acted as Santa Claus Christmas decorations with the color scheme of red and green were used throughout and in the luncheon served The next meeting will be Jan 8 with Mrs William Newell 1721 East Eldorado street

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The [illegible] club was entertained in the home of Mrs O O Odell [illegible] West Olive Tuesday afternoon with Mrs T H Nicholson assisting Mrs Odell The women pieced quilt blocks Refreshments were served The next meeting will be with Mrs Carter Farnshaw 1315 North Monroe Jan 13 and Mrs T H Orey and Mrs T H Crain will be hostesses

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TUSCOLA GIRL TO WED ON DEC. 18

Tuscola Dec 1[illegible]—Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Avis Murphy daughter of Mr and Mrs Elmer Murphy of Tuscola to John Henson son of Mr and Mrs S C Henson of Villa Grove which will take place at the home of the bride-elect's parents Thursday evening Dec 18 Miss Murphy was graduated from Illinois Woman's college at Jacksonville with the class of 19[illegible]

Mr Henson attended the Mexico Military academy at Mexico Mo and the university for the last three years. He would have graduated from the university this next spring if he had continued with his academic work

Miss Murphy has been the guest of honor at a number of pre-nuptials during the last several days and Mrs Edward Owens will entertain Wednesday evening at her home in Tuscola honoring Miss Murphy

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MASONIC PARTY AT TAYLORVILLE

Taylorville Dec 13—A party and dance was given by the Masons in the basement of the Masonic temple Thursday evening There were sixty guests present

Mrs S B Herdman entertained a number of friends at a tea at her home on West Main Cross street Wednesday afternoon

Mrs J W Smith entertained the Friendly circle of the Methodist church at her home on North Webster street Tuesday evening

A delightful surprise was held Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs P Brown on West Vine street in honor of Mr Brown's sixty fourth birthday

Mrs Harry Hesh[illegible] entertained about 100 friends at a bridge luncheon Thursday and a 6 o'clock bridge dinner Friday evening

The Missionary society of the Baptist church met Friday night with Mrs James Lewis at the parsonage A very interesting program was given

Mr and Mrs Ira Shull delightfully entertained the L A L club at their country home Saturday evening

Mrs Jess Spangle and daughter Mrs Nora Ellis entertained the D D club at the home of the former Thursday afternoon

The Fidelis class of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening with Mrs Emery Rosengrant Mrs M O England and Mrs Henry Cotlaw as assistant hostesses

CLINTON'S SOCIAL EVENTS OF WEEK

Clinton Dec 1[illegible]—Miss Barbara Phares delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home on South Center street Monday evening

The Delphian Chapter met on Monday afternoon with Mrs Joseph Murdock North Center street

The W C T U held open house at the Library club rooms Monday afternoon Mrs Elvira Downey gave a short talk on Women Who Won on Nov 4 and Mr A I Phares spoke on The Spirit of the Laws and Affirmation and Realization

Mrs Charles Alsup and Miss Alice Armstrong were hostesses to the Alpha Omega club in the Masonic Club rooms Tuesday afternoon

Mrs C A Nebel and Mrs Peter Yarborough were hostesses with a o'clock dinner to members of the Young Married people's class of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening

Members of the [illegible] club were entertained at 6 o'clock dinner in the home of Mrs Roy Warrel South Elm street Tuesday evening

The Tuesday Evening Dancing club held the first dance of the season at the K P hall Tuesday evening Ryans orchestra of Lincoln furnished the music

Mrs Joseph Murdock entertained the Clinton History club at her home on North Center street Tuesday afternoon

The H C club was delightfully entertained by Mrs W T Carrington at her home on North Grant avenue Tuesday afternoon

A Christmas party was enjoyed by members of the Sunshine club at the home of Mrs Greenville Fenrett Wednesday

Mrs Katherine Kenney and Mrs Ernest Large were hostesses to the I F C club with Christmas party in the home of the former on East Julia street Wednesday evening

The I W S club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs Arthur Shaw Wednesday afternoon

The Cu[illegible] club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs Charles Sumption 614 West Main street

Mrs F I Push 618 East Clay street was hostess to the S F C club Wednesday evening

Mrs T F Churchill entertained the C W W club at her home on North Grant avenue Thursday afternoon

Mesdames J A Williams T O Williams and I H Chambers were hostesses to the Home Economics club at the Library club rooms Thursday afternoon Mrs D C Dillingham read a paper on The Panama Canal and Mrs J F Garmire read a Christmas story

The [illegible] club enjoyed its annual Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs H[illegible] Duffner North Mulberry street Friday evening

The members of D R T club enjoyed a simple luncheon and Christmas party at the home of Miss Pauline McKinney East Johnson street Friday evening

Mesdames Leon G Myers Grant Cardiff Emmet Kent Misses Maud and Elizabeth Maddox were hostesses to Dewitt Clinton Chapter Daughters of American Revolution at the Library club rooms Saturday afternoon Mrs Forrest L Thompson of Decatur formerly Miss Beulah Bentley of Clinton was present A Christmas party was enjoyed following the program

Members of the D O P club entertained with a dinner at the home of Miss Helen Walker Tuesday evening. Following the dinner the guests pleasantly surprised Miss Walker with a miscellaneous shower in anticipation of her marriage to Stafford S[illegible]mer of Chicago which is to take place some time during the holidays A number of parties are to be given the coming week honoring Miss Walker and a number of showers are to be held

The bride to be is the charming daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Walker of the Prairie C[illegible] neighborhood a graduate of the Clinton Community High school and of the University of Illinois For the last few years she has been employed as bookkeeper in the Langeller Ford Service station

Mr S[illegible] is a former resident of Clinton having taught in the local schools going from here to Chicago where he has taken up educational work The couple will reside in the city

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Tea at Clinton

Clinton D[illegible] 1[illegible]—Mrs D M Pugh Mrs Julius Myers Mrs H A Campbell Mrs Charles Zanes and Mrs C W Chapin entertained with a tea Saturday afternoon from 3 o'clock until [illegible] in the home of Mrs Pugh 409 West Main street the affair being the last of a series of four parties being given the last two weeks by the women Music during the afternoon was furnished by Miss Eunice Northup a harpist at the Millikin conservatory Mrs Roy Parker Mrs Frank Kraft and Mr Walter Leeb presided at the table with Miss Vera Wagstaff Miss June Chapin and Miss Ruth Harmon assisting

PANA A. OF C. HAS BIG DANCE

Pana Dec 13—The Association of Commerce had a big get to gether dinner Thursday evening in the former K C hall There were over one hundred and twenty five members and guests who sat down to the delicious dinner which was served by the members of the Young People's League of the Baptist Church

It was Pana night and all the discussion had to do with Pana The speaker of the evening was City Judge John Walter Preihs and he [illegible] in his excellent manner the work that the Association has accomplished He especially commented on the get together spirit that the merchants have in both small and large things

He spoke of the Christmas trees that are to be placed in the front of each business house for Christmas decorations and to convey the Christmas spirit of the city

Another talk made at the dinner was by [illegible] Vieth secretary of the American Greenhouse Manufacturing Company He complimented the city on its work and explained in detail the work of his company

Glen Shafer manager of the Pana Coal company gave a splendid talk as did likewise many other prominent Pana merchants

The dinner was a great success in every way

CLASS REUNION

The Class of 19[illegible]3 of the Pana Township High School with eighty nine [illegible] will hold its [illegible] at the High School gymnasium Tuesday evening Dec 20 Paul Wilson is chairman of the [illegible] year

It is expected [illegible] number of [illegible] present and that [illegible] alumni will be organized

Honoring Miss Elizabeth Wolf North Sherman street a gift shower was given by her friends Thursday evening [illegible] beautiful [illegible]

Mr and Mrs H[illegible] siding east of [illegible] entertained Mr and Mrs [illegible] Primm and family [illegible] and Mrs [illegible] new Wednesday [illegible]

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WOMANS CLUB MEET

[illegible] Art [illegible] Woman's Club held its December meeting Friday evening [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Lowell [illegible] There was a splendid attendance

The subject for the [illegible] was Longfellow and [illegible] Art [illegible] on both of the topics

Another feature [illegible] was the [illegible] program [illegible]

Following the program refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed

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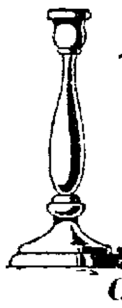

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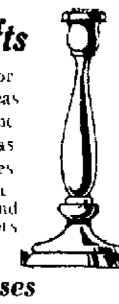

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Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, white and colors, dozen $1.00

Hosiery Specials

Ladies very fine quality pure thread silk hose, semi-fashioned, black only $1 50 value, slightly sub-standard, no holes, no runners—Saturday special pair . . 69c

Another shipment ladies regular $1 00 wool sport hose, brown and gray, pair 39c

Day Dream ladies pure thread silk hose, a regular $1 75 value. 12 new shades and black to select from, 3 in a box, an ideal gift, box $4.25

Extra heavy weight men's wool sport ½ hose, regular $1 value, brown only, pair 39c

Extra Specials For Monday

Regular $3 00 and $3.50 all wool, 54-inch French Flannels, plain and stripes, yd. $1.89

Regular $3.75 54-inch all wool hairline stripe poiret twills, yard . $2.75

Regular $3 00 Satin Canton Crepe, all pure silk, black only, yard . $1.95

Regular $2 50 Satin Charmeuse, heavy quality—black only, yard . . . $1.59

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Regular 45c, 36-inch printed Flannelette, pretty new patterns, yard 29c

Beaded and Leather Bags

An opportunity to purchase $5 00 and $6 00 beaded bags for your own use or as a gift at great savings, excellent quality new patterns and beautiful color combinations, large and small size, $2 95 and $3.95

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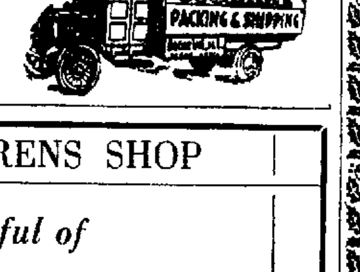

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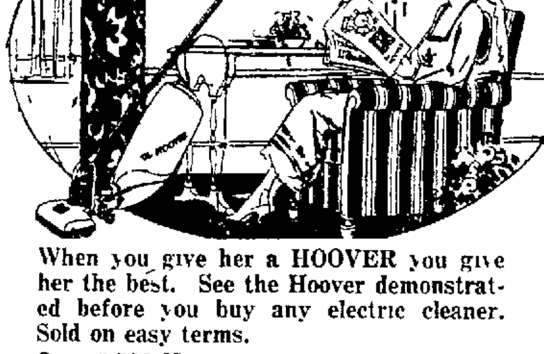

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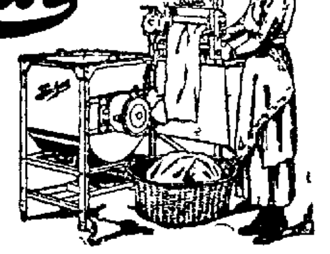

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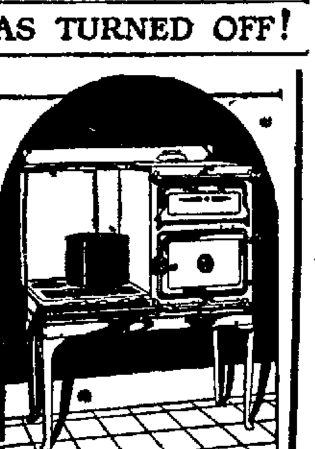

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SOCIAL EVENTS AT MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua, Dec. 13—The Matrons Club was entertained Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joe Gregory.

ENGLISH CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Andrews entertained the English Club and their husbands on Tuesday evening. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Hudson, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Sparling, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman, Misses Retta Park, Edna and Aileen Day and R. W. Snyder.

ART AND LITERATURE.

The Christmas party of the Art and Literature Club was held in the home of Mrs. S. S. Clapper. The assisting hostess was Mrs. W. D. Adams.

Mrs. W. H. Gregory conducted parliamentary drill.

Mrs. W. D. Adams read a paper on "The Genealogy of Christ." Mrs. Edna Sollars told "The Story of David," Mrs. Leslie Moss read "Our Syrian Guest" and Mrs. Sam Miller sang "Just Be Glad." There was an exchange of Christmas gifts, many lovely things being drawn.

IN DECATUR RECITAL.

Virginia Andrews played in the recital given at Millikin Conservatory on Thursday evening, by pupils under twelve years of age. She has been staying 'cello under Mrs. Clarence Martin for sometime.

Mrs. W. K. Andrews, R. W. Snyder and daughter M'Lisse and Miss Kathryn Day attended the recital.

On Sunday, Miss Virginia will play at the Congregational church.

SOCIAL CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colbert were hosts to the Social Club Thursday evening. Three tables of rook were at play. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beaumont and Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Dobson.

Mrs. Roger McGee of Decatur was present.

Mrs. Helen Longenbaugh visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duffy in Decatur the latter part of the week and attended a pot luck dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wood of Jacksonville.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Anna Mae Buffington has returned from a visit in Chicago. While there she attended the Revivial School for Grand Lecturers, Order of the Eastern Star. There have been many changes in the work.

John T. Ditto has returned from a four weeks business trip to Kentucky. He reports that the cotton crop there is about all picked, and the tobacco is beginning to come into the market. Both crops are reported to be good.

Walter and Oscar Frahlman and Otto Foerster motored to Danville to spend Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Meneely are spending the week-end at Frankfort, Ind. They made this trip by train instead of by motor.

Teachers in China Bring Beauty to Local Art Shop

Some Objects of Great Value from the Reinsch Collection.

After teaching in China for five and a half years, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Beath have come to Decatur and Mrs. Beath has opened a Chinese Art shop that is full of color and charm. The shop is located at 422 North Main street.

Mandarin coats and skirts in gorgeous colors, an immense wall tapestry in the best Chinese manner, midnight blue and pale gold brocade by the yard, linens exquisitely worked, jades, corals, necklaces, graceful vases, candlesticks, rugs—all sorts of fascinating objects of art are on display.

FROM MANCHU PALACE.

The Beaths were good friends of Dr. and Mrs. Reinsch, the minister to China and his wife. The Reinschs had opportunity to collect many beautiful things during their stay in China. They got some of the imperial pieces from the Manchu palace, when the rebellion occurred and the palace was stripped of its ages-old beauty. Since her husband's death, Mrs. Reinsch has been forced to sell some of these things. She has sent several to Mrs. Beath and they are to be seen in the shop.

VALUABLE.

One especially valuable piece was a wall covering of woven yellow and gold, which has been sent to Chicago for sale.

A yellow cushion covering that was on the throne in the Manchu palace is in the collection. A tapestry valued at $700 is also on the wall.

S. S. Beath is teaching economics and civics in the Decatur high school. He and his wife taught English and music in China during their five and a half years stay there.

ASK HOBOES TO HONOR GOMPERS

Cincinnati, Dec. 13.—Jeff Davis, king of hoboes, requested tonight that all his "brethren of the road" pay silent tribute for one minute, beginning at 9 o'clock Monday morning, to Samuel Gompers, who died at San Antonio, Texas, today. The "king" paid tribute to Mr. Gompers as a friend of the organized as well as unorganized labor.

CONSIDERING NEW $12,500 SCHOOL IN SHELBYVILLE

To Take the Site of the Old Main Street Building.

Shelbyville, Dec. 13—The school board of Shelbyville is contemplating putting up a new grade school which which the present Main street grade school stands. It is estimated that this building will cost $125,000. The present plan of the school board is to face this building to the north, on North First street, with the building backing up on Route 16, which runs down Main street.

TWO NOW INADEQUATE.

Final plans have not been made for the building but it has been a known fact for a long time that the present graded schools in Shelbyville, of which there are two large ones, are inadequate for the city. The building which is to be torn down for the proposed new one was erected in 1869, and for many years was used as the only grade school inside the city, so well as for the high school. The high school occupied the third floor. Later the high school was moved over to what was known as the Old Seminary, which in years gone by had been used as a school building but at that time was standing empty. It stood where the ll- about thirty feet.

OLD SEMINARY RAZED.

On the ground occupied by the Old Seminary both the library and the present high school was erected. At the time the high school building was placed there, it cost the city $75,000.

The other graded school was built some years ago and is on South Vine street, where pupils up to and including the fifth grades only are accommodated. This means that the latter grades of all pupils in the city are in the Main street school which greatly over crowding the building, which is not modern in the sense that school buildings have been made modern in the last few years.

DEATHS.

LUCY I. ELDER.

Word has been received by Mrs. H. C. Fruit, 1227 West Decatur street of the death of her sister, Lucy I. Elder, wife of T. B. Elder, which occurred Dec. 12 in Beaumont, Cal.

Mrs. Elder was a resident of Macon county for a number of years. She is survived by her husband and six children, five sons and one daughter, all of Beaumont, Cal., two sisters, Mrs. H. C. Fruit and Mrs. A. J. Hanks, both of Decatur, and one brother, W. B. Hunter of Mt. Zion.

MARY EMILY GERBER.

Mary Emily Gerber, aged fifty-five, widow of J. F. Gerber died at 10:15 o'clock Saturday night in the Decatur and Macon County hospital where she had been for three months. Her death was caused by kidney and heart trouble.

She was born in Brighton, Ill., Jan. 9, 1870. She is survived by her sister-in-law, Dr. Clare Gerber of Decatur and a brother, Russell Brown of Brighton.

The body was taken to Monson's funeral establishments. Burial will be at Brighton. Funeral announcements will be made later.

MARRIED.

VAUGHN-HOPKINS.

Miss Helen Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vaughn, 443 North Jackson street, was married to W. B. Hopkins, Jr., of Denver, Colo., Dec. 2, by the pastor of the Trinity Methodist church of that city. They will make their home at 1660 Downing street, Denver.

Mrs. Hopkins had been in the government work in Washington, D. C. for several years, and was transferred to Denver about a year ago. Mr. Hopkins also was in government employ there.

FORSYTH CLUB TO PRESENT PLAY

To Present "A Poor Married Man" Dec. 19 and 20.

The Forsyth Dramatic club, which has successfully presented several plays, will give the comedy "A Poor Married Man," Friday and Saturday evenings, Dec. 19, and 20, in the I. O. O. F. hall. Proceeds from the presentation will be used to dig a basement under the church.

Following is the cast of characters:

Prof. John B. Wise, a poor married man—Glen Ocoff.

Dr. Mathew Graham, county physician—Russel Sawyer.

Billy Blake, a popular college boy—Bernard Blazer.

Jupiter Jackson, a black trump—Joe Harmon.

Mrs. Iona Ford, some mother-in-law—Ruth Stein.

Zoe, her charming daughter—Etta Parker.

June Graham, a little freshman—Alice McKinley.

Rosalind Wilson, a college reporter—Helen Earl.

WANT LORD CURZON TO BE MADE DUKE

London, Dec. 13—As the time approaches for the eagerly awaited announcement of the King's new year's honors list, there is a growing feeling in political circles that the sovereign's objections to creating another dukedom may be overcome and that Marquess Curzon will be raised to the highest rank of the peerage thus fulfilling one of this statesman's life ambitions.

Lord Curzon's friends claim he is entitled to this distinction for several reasons. At the time that Stanley Baldwin first assumed the premiership Lord Curzon was considered in conservative ranks to be entitled to that position by all the rules of the political game. He had placed himself at the head of all conditions by his long distinguished service in the highest positions grantable by the various governments. Had this opportunity come, even a couple of years earlier, he perhaps would have won this prize for which he has worked all his life. The threatening strength of labor in the house of commons, however, made it essential that the premier should be a commoner so as to face the attack against the laborites in person.

Luggage and Leather Goods for Christmas Gifts

Decatur folks and the folks for many miles around naturally look to our store for their luggage and leather goods. We appreciated this and have in return collected the largest stock ever of practical Christmas gifts that not only give pleasure to the giver but years of service to the recipient.

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Tuckaway Folding Umbrellas, up from **$3.00**

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Music Cases and Rolls, up from **$1.00**

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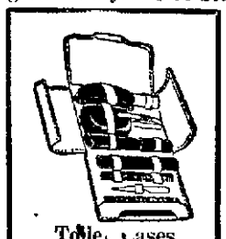

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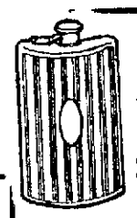

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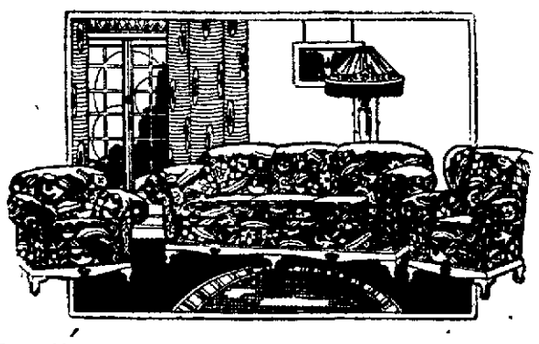

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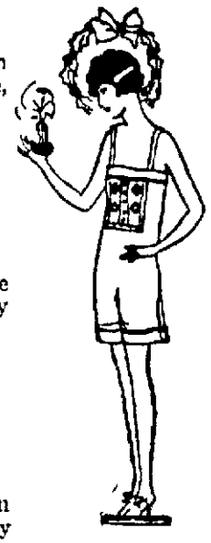

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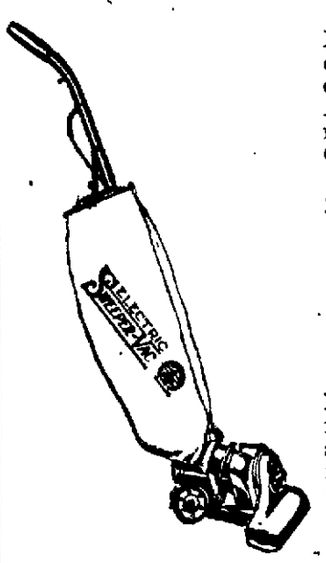

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WOMEN GIVE CANDY DEMONSTRATION

West End Home Bureau Unit Meets Monday Afternoon

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RIVERSIDE H. B. HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. George Burnett to Demonstrate Preparation of a Meal

[illegible] meeting [illegible] at the home of Mr [illegible] North Dunbar [illegible] Mrs Burnett will [illegible] Mrs J [illegible] Duncan [illegible] will demonstrate get[illegible] a meal which will includ[illegible] and she will [illegible] also the menu [illegible]

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REV. J. M. PAGE IS ST. JOHN'S SPEAKER

Men's Club Also to Hear Dr. W. S. Keister, Health Director

[illegible] Monday [illegible] An interesting program is [illegible] following the dinner. Rev. [illegible] Mitchell Page, chaplain in charge of student work at the University of Illinois will talk on Church Work Among Students. Dr. W. S. Keister will talk on Public Health, telling in particular the health conditions in Decatur.

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4930. Misses Dress. Cut in 3 Sizes [illegible] 18 and 20 years. An 18 year size requires [illegible] yards of [illegible] material. Price 15c.

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4[illegible] Child's Dress. Cut in 4 Sizes 2 4 6 and 8 [illegible] A [illegible] year size requires 2 yards of [illegible] inch material. Price 15c.

[illegible] A New Nursery To[illegible]. Cut in One Size. The Doll will require [illegible] yard of [illegible] inch material. The Cape and Bonnett [illegible] yards of [illegible] inch material. Price 15c.

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TODAY'S CHURCH SERVICES

Antioch Baptist, 600 Greenwood—Rev. Peter W. Fields pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Election of officers. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Are You Willing." Evening subject, "Church Sleepers or Sleeping Through the Sermon." Baptist Young Peoples Union 6 p. m. Election of officers.

Baptist Mission, 965 North Monroe— Sunday school 9 [illegible] a. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Three Beholds in an Awful Hour."

East Park Baptist, Third and Prairie—Rev. Russell A. Rapsor pastor. Sunday school 9 [illegible] Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and [illegible] p. m. Morning subject, "Bible Truths About Salvation." Evening subject, "The Rock Smitten, one of the series [illegible] gospel in old testament phrases." Young Peoples meeting 6 [illegible]

First Baptist, Water and North—Rev. [illegible] Harry Mars pastor. Sunday school [illegible] Preaching services 10:[illegible] a. m. and 7 [illegible] p. m. Morning subject [illegible] Evening subject [illegible] Young Peoples service 6 [illegible]

St. James Catholic, Webster and Clay—Rev. J. J. Osterhout rector. Mass [illegible] and [illegible] Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament [illegible]

St. Patrick's Catholic, 4[illegible] East Eldorado—Rev. [illegible] Masses [illegible] and [illegible] High [illegible] Sunday school [illegible]

Central Church of Christ, Edward and William—Rev. John R. [illegible] pastor. Sunday school [illegible] will be made of [illegible] Preaching service 10:45 [illegible] and 7 [illegible] p. m. Morning subject [illegible] Evening subject "The Rock That Is Is [illegible]"

First Church of Christ Scientist, 145 West Prairie—[illegible]

Church of the Brethren, Warren and Grand—[illegible] Morning [illegible] Brethren.

First Church of God, Main and Packard—Rev. [illegible] Long pastor. Sunday school [illegible] Preaching services 10:45 [illegible] and 7 [illegible] p. m. Morning subject [illegible]

[illegible] Realization. A City of Need. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Church of the Living God, 325 East Macon—Rev. R. C. Collins pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Bible band [illegible] p. m. [illegible] service [illegible] p. m.

Congregational Church and Eldorado—Rev. C. L. Reidt pastor. Church school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:[illegible] a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Dayspring." Evening subject, "Crowded Inns." Picture [illegible] Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

St. Johns Episcopal Church and Eldorado—Rev. Ray Milton Wilcox rector. Holy communion 7 [illegible] Church school [illegible] Morning service and sermon 10:[illegible] Confirmation instruction 3 p. m. Vesper [illegible]

First English Lutheran, Main and William—Rev. R. C. Cuthbert pastor. Sunday school [illegible] a. m. Preaching services 10:45 [illegible] and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject [illegible] Evening [illegible]

St. Johannes Lutheran, 1104 East Orchard—Rev. [illegible] [illegible] English service [illegible] Morning subject [illegible] of the Church Comes from [illegible] When [illegible] Confirmation [illegible] of officers.

St. Pauls Lutheran, 3[illegible]6 West Wood—Rev. [illegible] pastor. Sunday school 9:30 [illegible] English preaching services 10:30 [illegible] Preparatory service for communion [illegible] 7:15 p. m.

First Methodist, Church and North—Rev. [illegible] Smith pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:4[illegible] and 7:[illegible] p. m. [illegible] Good [illegible] The [illegible] Miss [illegible] subject [illegible] the World [illegible] Best [illegible]

Grace Methodist, Main and King—Rev. Wilbert [illegible] Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:[illegible] Morning subject [illegible] The Christmas [illegible] Evening subject "Christ as Seen Across the Centuries." Intermediate League 6:15 p. m. Epworth League 6:15 p. m. This is a special service at which Miss Blanche Hillard with representatives from foreign countries will give a radio program entitled "The League Hunts up Around the World."

St. Paul's Methodist, Witt and Prairie—Rev. H. F. Powell pastor. Sunday school 9:3[illegible] a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Sources of Power in the Human Life." Evening subject, "Where is Your Treasure?" Epworth League 6:[illegible] p. m. Leader Miss Vita Bean.

First Presbyterian, Church and Prairie—Rev. J. W. Clippinger pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:[illegible] p. m. Nursery and childrens hour during the morning church service. Christian Endeavor [illegible] p. m. Lesson "Count and Start You Blessings." Leader Miss Cecile Jack.

Westminster Presbyterian, Main and Park Place—Rev. G. A. Pappenman pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Classes [illegible] in the church [illegible] in the university kindergarten in both [illegible] Preaching services 10:45 a. m. in the university and 7:30 p. m. in the church. Morning subject "The Unacceptable Christ." Evening subject "The H[illegible] of the Gospel." Christian Endeavor [illegible] in the church. Leader [illegible] subject "Count and Share Your Blessings." Open forum for students [illegible] p. m.

First Spiritualist, G. A. R. hall, 316 North Main—Rev. Minnie Carroll pastor. Regular services 7:[illegible] p. m. by Mrs. Gar[illegible] [illegible] workers.

Second United Brethren, Walnut Grove and Olive—Rev. H. R. Applegate pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 [illegible] and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject "The Cowardly Hero." Evening subject "The Seven [illegible]" Reception of members at both services. Christian Endeavors 6:30 p. m.

Third United Brethren, Locust and Jasper—Rev. C. T. Todd pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor 10:4[illegible] a. m. Intermediate and Senior Endeavors 6:30 p. m. These services probably will close the revival services which Rev. C. W. Martin of Dalton City has been holding the last several weeks.

Church of Christ, 984 West King street— Sunday school at 11 o'clock. Morning services at 11 o'clock. Evening services at 7:30 conducted by Evangelist J. A. Brown. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30.

Seventh Street Christian, Seventh and Prairie—Rev. R. R. Finlayson pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:4[illegible] a. m. and 7:3[illegible] p. m. Morning subject "The Church." Evening subject "The Bible." Christian Endeavor.

Free Methodist, 224 East King—Rev. E. A. Towns pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject "Facing Life as We Find It." Rev. I. A. Bailey of Centralia will preach at the [illegible] hour. Young people's meeting 6:[illegible] p. m. [illegible] Miss Maude Constant.

First Christian, 441 North Church—Rev. P. E. Henry pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject "Paul's Greatness." Evening subject "Not Conformed but Transformed." Special eleventh anniversary program 2:[illegible] p. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Riverside Baptist, Cleveland and Jasper—Rev. Irving A. Fox pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject [illegible] Evening subject "Nehemiah's Opposition."

The [illegible] of [illegible] and Glory Our Great [illegible] in Heaven [illegible] on the tabernacle. Young people's meeting 6:[illegible] p. m.

Light of Truth Spiritual, 1877 East Walnut—Regular service at 7:45 Sunday evening [illegible] pastor of the [illegible] Spiritualist church in Peoria.

Loyal Ladies Class

The Loyal [illegible] Bible class of the St. Paul's Methodist church will have a bake and bazaar Saturday, Dec. 20 in the North Main Market. Pie, sandwiches and [illegible] coffee will be served.

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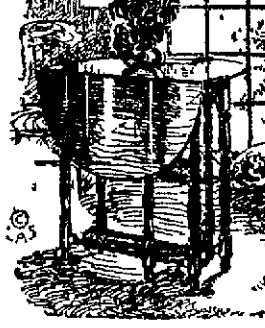

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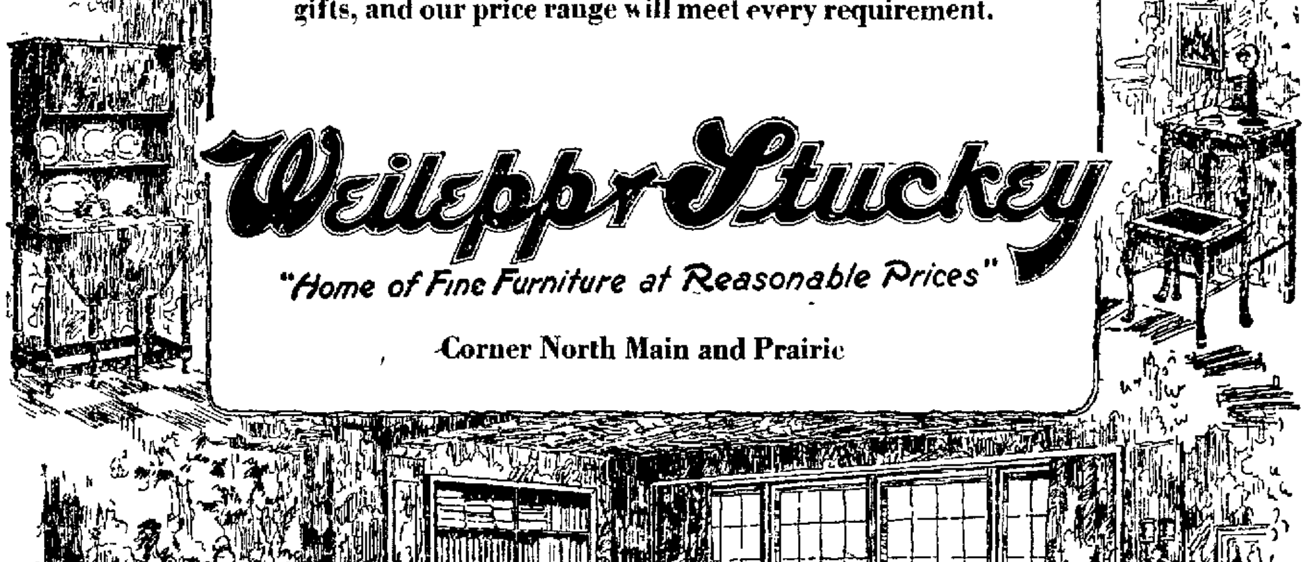

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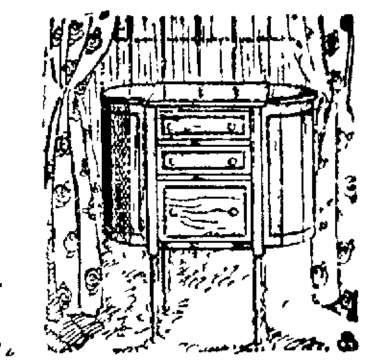

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Negligee Is Aristocrat of Wardrobe

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Bendel, Famous Designer, Says Such Garments Show Personality of the Wearer.

New York — "The aristocrat of the things the more ornate the negligee wardrobe is the negligee, just as the street costume is the proletariat," says Henri Bendel, foremost New York designer.

Bendel finds the greatest satisfaction in designing costumes for women in their hours of ease because he believes the negligee comes nearer expressing the personality of the wearer than any other garment can.

"It's what a woman wears on the street," he says, "a woman betrays the practical side of her nature and her attitude toward established conventions. By her evening gowns she reveals her aspirations and longings and what she really believes she is capable of being—but her negligee tells you what she is.

"This is the one article of attire she wears in the surroundings she has created for herself. She has no dos or don'ts to follow.

"She may frankly try to be pretty and luxuriate and indulge in the frills and furbelows that have been eliminated from all other types of clothes but which have not been rooted from women's memories or desires.

"She may be as colorful or daring in design as she likes."

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Bendel believes the negligee has a place in the life of every normal woman, no matter how busy or emancipated she may be as an escape from the commonplace and the practical.

"The negligee is more important for the business woman than the society woman," he says, "because its femininity, softness and luxurious appeal do much to restore the balance after wrestling with matters that demand application to everything but appearance.

"The more severe and tailored street clothes become and the less decoration we permit on evening wear, the more ornate the negligee will become," he says.

Negligees and evening gowns are cut from the same materials this season—neither yields to the other in gorgeousness.

I saw Bendel's mannequins wearing robes of gold and silver tissue cloth as well as metal brocades, soft silks, crepes, velvets, chiffons and laces of all weights and weaves.

The lines may be as flowing and free as one desires, or the silhouette may be that of the fashionable tube, with the addition of a cape or winged sleeve or some diaphanous fabric that softens the whole and gives the floating, airy look that is so desirable.

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"Velvet brocaded chiffon is an ideal material for the negligee because of its softness and the beauty of designs and colorings," Bendel says.

"This material needs little trimming, but it is frequently heightened in beauty of soft ostrich fringe or a plain fabric to accent the figures. Black chantilly lace and white chiffon make robes of exquisite loveliness.

"Spanish embroidered shawls or the vividly painted ones may be cut and slightly draped to form very striking negligees or the all over embroidered Chinese silks may be used to advantage.

In more practical models Mr. Bendel pointed out some of taffeta, coat style and of quilted silk interlined with wool padding white maribou or ostrich bands added an interesting note.

"Wearing a negligee" Bendel cautions, "is not nearly so casual a matter as it appears to be. The effect of the beautiful ease is achieved only when the hair is neatly coiffed, the lingerie perfect and the skin perfectly groomed.

"Luxury is erected only on a foundation of small perfections."

Florence Nightingale Medal For Distinguished Service Awarded American Nurses

One Name From Each Country Annually Submitted to International Committee of Red Cross at Geneva.

BY LEAH A. KAZMARK

With the annual meeting of the American Red Cross now in session at Washington, mention is again made of the Florence Nightingale medal for which the American nurse, who has especially distinguished herself in the last year will be a candidate. Since the institution of such an honor medal for the nursing profession by the International Red Cross at its meeting in this country in 1920, six American women have attained this singular honor. These women were Alma Foerster of Chicago, Helene Scott Hays of Washington, D. C, Martha Russell of Boulder, Colo, Linda Miers of Boston and Florence Johnston and Mary Caldwin of New York City, all of whom received this recognition for work done overseas in the late war.

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The medal is a tiny bit of gold suspended from a laurel entwined Red Cross. It was started as an incentive to a higher conception of duty among the nursing profession. No country may propose more than one candidate annually except in times of war. Each nomination is submitted to the international committee of the Red Cross at Geneva and as the final decision is made there, the honor is of international importance.

41 AWARDS

Forty-one women from various countries were awarded this coveted medal for services after the World war. More than 222 American women have been decorated by the Allied governments but the performances of the six who won this special honor were of still higher order length and character of the service playing a part in the choice. It is interesting to know that these awards were made close to the one hundredth anniversary of Florence Nightingale, who has become the ideal of the nursing profession the world over and whose doctrine of self sacrifice, cleanliness, order and peace has been spread throughout the hospitals of the world.

During the last war America had reason to be proud of the services rendered by her women. More than 35 000 trained nurses enrolled for military service, of whom nearly 20 000 saw active work abroad with 18,000 of them members of the Army Corps, 1000 with the Navy Corps and another thousand with the Red Cross.

MANY HONORS

Records of the War Department show that twenty-eight nurses wear the Croix de Guerre of France, sixty-seven the British Red Cross medal, sixty-seven the medal d'Honour des Epidemics, and two the Medaille de la Reconnaissance, special honors of the French. One American nurse wears the honor of Belgium, three the Silver Cross of Saint Anne of Russia, while this government and the American Red Cross have bestowed five of their honors. General Pershing cited thirty-four for distinguished service and unusual bravery and the British government mentioned the names of thirteen women and gave to five others the Certificate of Merit.

The nurses of this country have been outstanding in their services. It is fitting that the Florence Nightingale Medal was born that it might give honor to such deserving women. The fund for these was started by the Red Cross societies of the world and continues to function in times of peace as well as war.

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"Just one round of pleasure" was the way one person spoke of the Central Junior high school party Friday evening which was attended by a large number of teachers of the school and parents of the pupil. The affair was in the Staley club house, which was attractively decorated in keeping with the Christmas season. Music was furnished during the evening by Cecil Lydas' orchestra, made up entirely of people who at one time were students in Central Junior.

Mr. and Mrs Santa Claus were present and distributed gifts to everyone, after which the men and women enjoyed games and dancing. The decorating and refreshments were in charge of the decorating committee, of which Mrs. T. ... Brown is chairman, and the ... committee, of which Mrs E. L. ... derson is chairman. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served.

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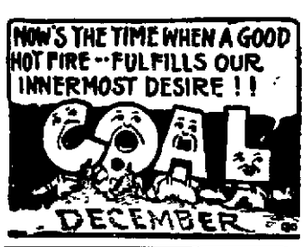

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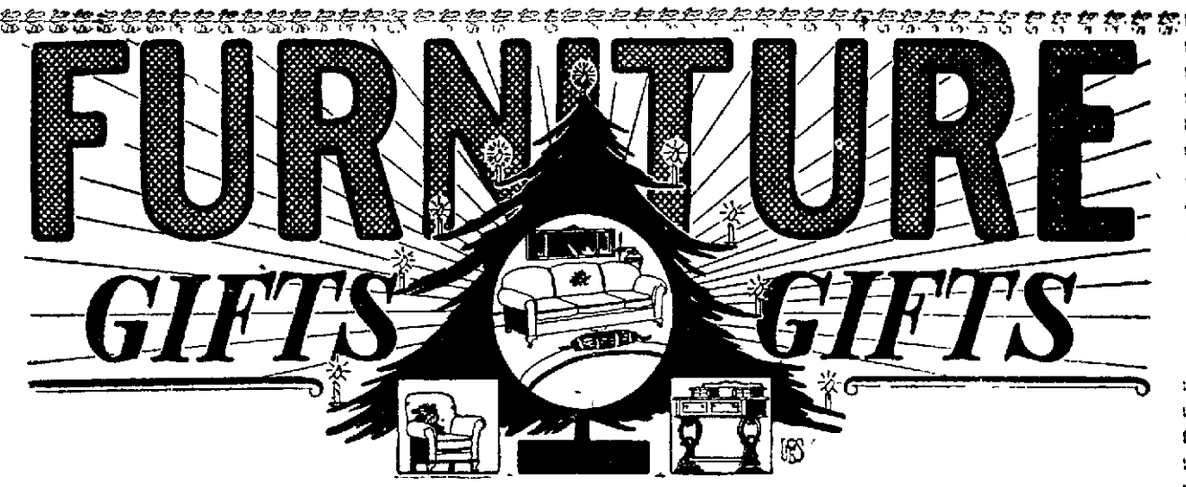

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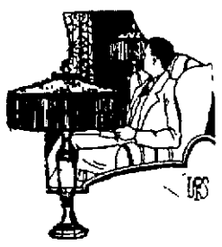

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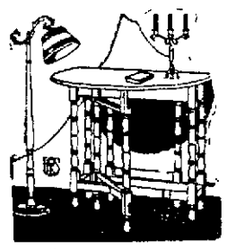

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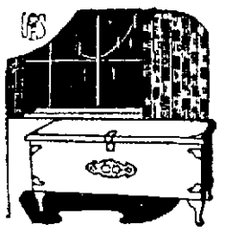

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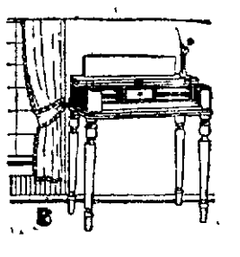

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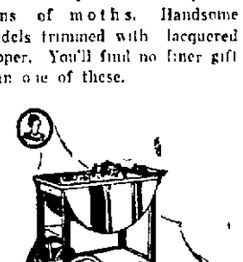

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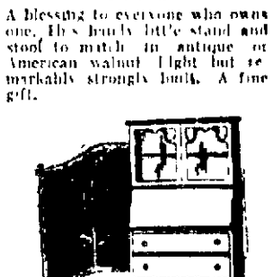

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BOOKS

New York, Dec. 13.—This is the period in which the publishers slow down their presses until the Christmas buyers shall have cleaned the retailers shelves of fall season books.

Meanwhile little that is important appears—with one or two exceptions.

One such exception is "Straws and Prayerbooks" (McBride).

A new James Branch Cabell book is always important, or at least interesting.

This series of essays seems a continuation of the mood established in "Beyond Life," in which the transcending of realities is the back-

JAMES BRANCH CABELL.

ground. In these essays Cabell runs a long gamut of subjects, from writers to religion. In studies of certain well-known modern writers he pries into why they write and finds some most interesting adventures "beyond life."

Here again the reader meets John Charteris (that convenient double through whom Cabell speaks) and it is interesting to note that, through this character Cabell hands himself down to posterity as "the author of Jurgen." It is this surveyor's belief that, taking the Cabell works as they now stand, it will be for "Beyond Life" and "Figures of Earth" that Cabell will be longest remembered.

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If the survey were to be asked to select a Christmas gift book that fits most snugly to the Yule spirit it would unhesitatingly say: Selma Lagerlof's "Marbacka" (Doubleday, Page), one of the loveliest of autobiographies and a truly idyllic thing. Next to this might be placed Anna Sedgwick's "The Little French Girl" (Houghton, Mifflin).

Also there is a Christmas play by Don Marquis—"The Dark Hours" (Doubleday, Page), in which the poet-humorist becomes essentially poet in picturing the last hours of Jesus of Nazareth.

For those with a taste for fantasy these publishers have a new edition of Christopher Morley's "Where the Blue Begins" with Rackham illustrations and those who would dodge writing a Christmas letter have their problem solved in Walter H. Page's "Christmas Letter to His Grandson."

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THE Merbert Quick trilogy, written around the epic of western migration, comes to an end in "The Invisible Woman" (Bobbs, Merrill). It began with "Vandermark's Folly," quite the best of the three, a story placed in the days preceding the Civil War, which trailed pioneers with historical fidelity and fine characterization. This was followed by "The Hawkeye," which took the same families into the Iowa farm belt, treated of the discontent of the prairie farmer and left them in the eighties. In the last volume the scene shifts from the individual struggles to encompass the entire state. Politics is its background and the time is that of the Grover Cleveland period, with Altgeld a name to make conservatives shake and Weaver leading the Populists. This trilogy is, in spite of many faults, the best historical picture of the Middle West yet to appear.

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THE charm of Donn Byrne is as Irish as his name: a naive quality of beauty and whimsy that made "Messer Marco Polo" a tale to be kept within easy reach. Having written this tale Byrne will have to suffer the consequence of having it compared to everything he writes henceforth. And so with "Blind Rafferty" (Century). It is not another "Marco Polo" but it is a charming story of a blind Irish poet and his bride.

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QUITE the best short story collection to reach the survey's desk in many moons is "Twenty-Three Stories" (Appleton), an extremely well-selected list which includes Thomas Burke's "Chink and the Child"; Somerset Maugham's "The Taipan" and others that are pervaded with a melancholy beauty, to say nothing of some splendid "horror" stories and tales into which the mystic and menacing creep.

THE WEEK'S BEST SELLERS IN DECATUR

"The Little French Girl," by Anne Douglas Sedgwick.

"The White Monkey," by John Galsworthy.

"The Green Hat," by Michael Arlen.

"The Divine Lady," by E. Barrington.

"The Enchanted Hill," by Peter B. Kyne.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES FOR HOME BUREAU

The schedule of the units of the Macon County Home Bureau for the coming week contains many Christmas parties as the season of the year for them is at hand and because the women are inclined to postpone meeting during the week of Christmas or else to cut them short.

Monday afternoon, the West End unit will hold its meeting in the home of Mrs. F. N. Grimsley, in Oak Crest. Miss Neva Woods will lecture on "Buying the Small Equipment for the Kitchen."

Wednesday afternoon the Elwin unit will have its meeting, opening at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. Guy Robertson. The recreation chairman has requested that each member bring a riddle or a short funny story. There will be a Christmas gift exchange.

Friday has been set for the Christmas party of the Argenta unit in the home of Mrs. George Parr. The recreation program will be under the direction of Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Parr and Mrs. Burkam. Mrs. Grisinger has asked that every one bring a ten cent gift.

The lesson on selection and arrangement of the small equipment will be given by the local leaders, Mrs. Sam Buchler, and Mrs. Clarence Miller. A report from the candy demonstration will be given.

New Library Books

New books ready for the shelves, Monday, Dec. 15, follow:

Reference Books.

Dramatic index, 1923.
Logasa & Ver Nooy, index to one-act plays.
National cyclopedia of American biography. Current, volume A.

CIRCULATING BOOKS.

Philosophy and Religion.

Charles — Religious development between the Old and New Testaments.
Gregg—Between the Testaments.
Marden—Conquest of Worry.
Russell — Dramatized Missionary Stories.

Psychic Phenomena.

Doyle—Our American Adventure.
Doyle—Our Second American Adventure.
Flammarion—Hunted Houses.

Social Science.

Eichler—Customs of Mankind.
Ely & Morehouse — Elements of Land Economics.
Gibbons—America's Place in the World.
Harrington & Fulton — Talking Well.
Peabody—Social Teaching of Jesus Christ.
Smith—Games and Recreational Methods for Clubs, Camps and Scouts.
Sturgis—Investment, a New Profession.

Education.

Draper—University Extension; a Survey of Fifty Years, 1873-1923.
Freeman—Visual Education.
Bailey—Use of Art in Religious Education.

Science.

International Library of Technology: Electricity and Magnetism, etc.
Slosson—Keeping up With Science.
Thomson—Sciences, Old and New.
Waddell—School Chemistry.
Williams—Everyone's Book of the Weather.

Useful Ars.

App & Woodward — The Farmer and His Farm.
Chambers—One Piece Dinners.
Copeland—Health Book.
Cunningham—Cargo Handling at Ports.
Story—How to Dress Well.
Wabash Club—Souvenir, 1923.

Animals.

Carter—Horses of the World.
Cooper—Lions 'n' Tigers'n' Everything.
Fuertes—Book of Dogs.
Henshaw—Book of Birds.

Literature and Libraries.

Chapman—Letters and Religion.
Learned—American Public Library and the Diffusion of Knowledge.
Mallory — Backgrounds of Book Reviewing.
Marriott—One-Act Plays of Today.
Morley—Bowling Green.
Overton—Cargoes for Crusoes.
Pritchard—Training in Literary Appreciation.
Sherman—My Dear Cornelia.
Turgenieff—Plays.
Ward—Publicity for Public Libraries.

Travel and Description.

Bercovici — Around the World in New York.
Kent—Voyaging Southward from the Strait of Magellan.
McBride—Sweden and its People.
National Geographic Society—Capital of Our Country.
Townshend — Tenderfoot in New Mexico.

History and Biography.

Birinyi—Tragedy of Hungary.
Clemens—Mark Twain's Autobiography, two vols.
Dennis—Eugene Field's Creative Years.
Kennedy—Real John Burroughs.
Sim—Robert Browning: The Poet and the Man, 1833-1846.
Sim—Robert Browning: Poet and Philosopher, 1850-1889.

Fiction.

Armestrong — Bazaar, and Other Stories.
Bennett—Elsie and the Child, and Other Stories.
Collins—Ordeal.
Hutchinson—Great Waters.
Johnston—Slave Ship.
Kyno—Enchanted Hill.
Locke — Golden Journey of Paradyne.
Masefield—Sard Harker.
Oppenheim—Passionate Quest.
Sandy—Andorra.
Hain—Needle's Eye.
Woodward—Bunk.
Woodward—Letters.

Children's Books.

Andrews—Dorothy's Adventure in Bedroom Land.
Asbjornsen & Moe — Norwegian Fairy Tales.
Bouve—Lamplight Tales.
Gerwig — Washington, the Young Leader.
Knapp—America, the Great Adventure.
Moore — St. Nicholas, a Manhattan Christmas Story.
Robinson—Little Puritan Rebel.
Ross—Pending to Find Out.
Russell—Dramatized Bible Stories for Young People.
Schmann—Archer the Little Armenian.
White—Lore.
Wilson—Founders of America.

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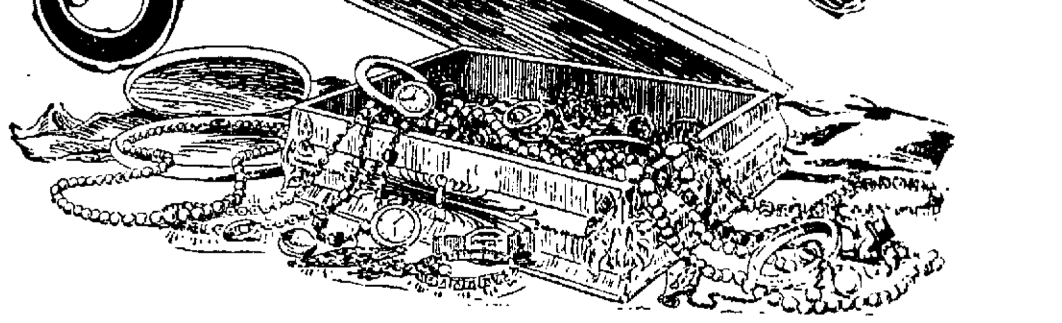

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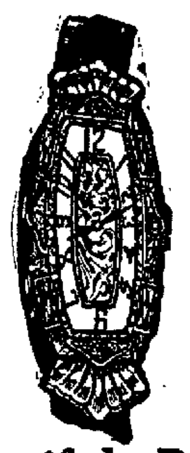

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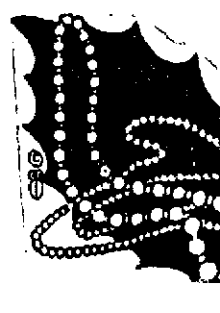

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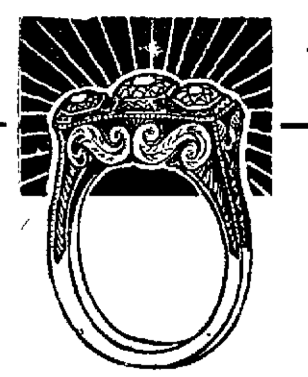

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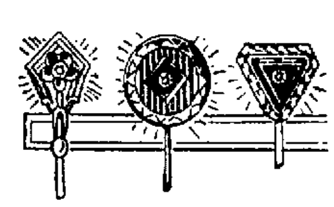

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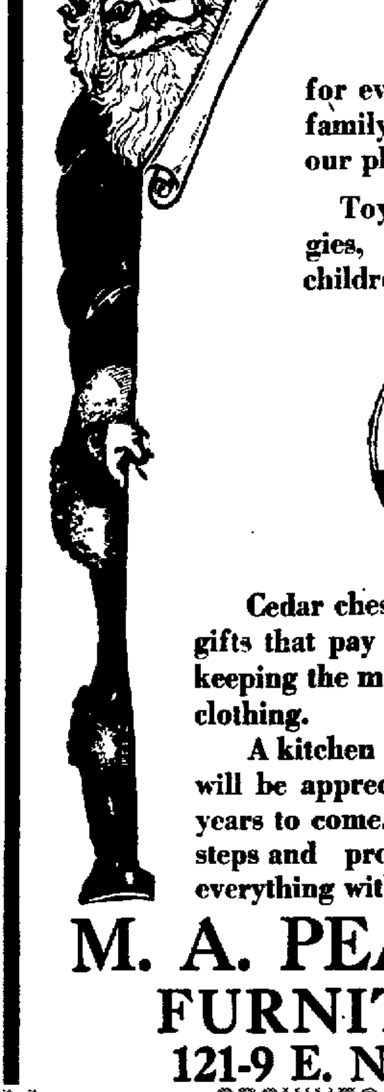

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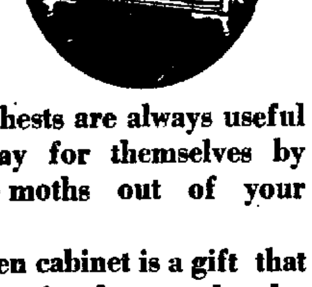

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Ben Turpin May Quit the Screen

Rumor Says Comedy King Ready to Retire.

BY JACK JUNGMEYER.

Hollywood, Dec. 13.—Ben Turpin, the inimitable, is reported to be about to begin a slow process of voluntary retirement from the screen.

He has one more contract picture to do for Mack Sennett. After that, the rumor is, Ben will make a picture now and then, as the mood hits him. He will retire, when he does, full of honors and not without plenty kale, for Ben concedes nothing to any man when it comes to saving his shekels.

NAME WILL STICK

Turpin, strange figure of the screen world, has left an indelible impress of his personality. He will be remembered when many of the film [illegible] have passed the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] another [illegible] temperamental lead [illegible] wanted someone for the role of a [illegible] Turpin volunteered. He [illegible] funny that hard boiled eggs around the studio who hadn't cracked a grin for months, screamed aloud.

GOT STARTED.

Shortly after that he graduated from a $12 a week porter to $15 a week property boy, sent by the company to California. He and Sennett eventually hit it off, and Ben has been with the latter ever since.

Turpin, whose "cocked" eyes resulted from constant deliberate crossing in a vaudeville act, is not at all sensitive about his affliction. It has indeed, brought him a fortune.

Life is all serious to Ben. That's why it's so funny to all his audiences.

We hope that the reports of his impending retirement have been greatly exaggerated.

Makes His Fortune

BEN TURPIN.

The Screen

Warner Baxter, now playing in "The Golden Bed," is unique in that he is perhaps the only actor who never has played a Shakespearean role or expressed a desire for a part in one of the plays of the "old master."

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Frances Howard, who has just completed her work in "The Swan," has been selected to play the leading role opposite Richard Dix in his latest starring picture, "The Maker of Gestures," which Paul Sloane will direct. Miss Howard will have the role of a young Basque girl and for the part she will wear a raven-black wig.

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Seven, according to the superstitious, is a lucky number. Lucien Hubbard hopes so. In the last two years he has been production editor on six Zane Grey stories and he is now starting his seventh. It is "The Thundering Herd," which will be directed by William K. Howard, the man who made "The Border Legion."

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The Paramount West Coast Studio is fast coming to be the visiting spot of sport favorites. In the last ten days it has had for its guests Walter Johnson, World Series hero; Babe Ruth, and William Tilden, national tennis champion.

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William de Mille, Paramount producer, has been invited by Prof. George P. Baker of Harvard to address the students of drama there in the near future. Mr. de Mille has just finished Clara Beranger's "Locked Doors" and will next produce "Men and Women," from the stage success by David Belasco and Henry C. De Mille, his father. "Men and Women," is to be filmed at the Long Island Studio.

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A new face appears in movieland. William Otis, a former Princeton man has started his career in pictures. He has just finished the leading role in "The Goose Hangs High," the new production made under the direction of James Cruze.

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Mrs. Ernest Torrence now wants to enter the motion picture field. For two months she was alone while her husband was in Texas working in Irvin Willat's "North of 36" and her son was there acting as a property boy. Now she wants to go on these location trips.

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Director David Smith has engaged for "Pampered Youth," the same photographers who helped to make Rafael Sabatini's "Captain Blood" one of the great pictures of the year, and hopes to have the forthcoming production as pictorially beautiful as the other. "Pampered Youth" is a picturization of Booth Tarkington's prize winning novel, "The Magnificent Ambersons."

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Albert E. Smith, president of Vitagraph, had barely returned to New York from London, where he attended the British premiere of the David Smith production, "Captain Blood," when he left for Hollywood to confer with Vitagraph directors respecting future productions on the 1924-1925 schedule. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith—Jean Paige, who played Arabella, the feminine lead, in "Captain Blood."

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When Vitagraph releases the J. Stuart Blackton production, "The Redeeming Sin," Violet Virginia, the English actress, will make her American debut. Miss Virginia, who played in all the productions made by Mr. Blackton during his three months' sojourn in England, came to this country especially to play in the big special in which Mme. Alla Nazimova is starred.

Women Lead Men In Plays on Broadway

Leyla Georgie, the only woman in the cast of "What Price Glory."

NEW YORK, Dec. 13—Women are getting much more than an even break in this year's plays, if one can judge by the names in bright lights along Broadway.

Women, of course, are traditionally better drawing cards for the theater than men. But consider the use of individual names in theatrical advertising. You see Francine Larrimore, Lenore Ulric, Ina Claire, Marilyn Miller, Ethel Barrymore, Emma Dunn, Helen MacKellar. The names of men hardly go beyond Joseph Schildkraut, H. B. Warner, Frank Craven, O. P. Heggie and Lowell Sherman.

And most of these men receive greater support from women in their companies than the women stars do from their men. In several other shows the leading parts are divided with fair equality, as Mr. and Mrs. Coburn, Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne, Richard Bennett and Pauline Lord.

"What Price Glory" is unusual in this as in other respects, using a large company of men headed by Louis Wolheim and William Boyd, but a single woman. From offhand memory, it appears too that the new acting talent discovered is most often feminine.

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YOU will be undecided at times whether to laugh or to get frightened at "Badges." Probably you'll laugh, however, and that will not detract from the pleasant squeamishness of mystery which the melodrama sends chasing up and down your nerves. The play is the joint work of Max Marcin, who wrote also the successful "Silence," and Edward Hammond. Gregory Kelly and Lotus Robb play the leading parts with lightness and distinction. Handled as it is, the old idea of a correspondence school detective confronted with a real crime situation proves absorbing.

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THE fantasy and practicality, the color and poetry, which one associates with thought of the Orient is set forth beautifully in the play translated from the Sanskrit and presented at the Neighborhood Playhouse. It is called "The Little Clay Cart." The same theater just closed its "Grand Street Follies" in mid-success to carry out its repertory schedule, and it is encouraging to record praise for the new piece. The story is of the love of a courtesan, Vanantasena, for the merchant, Charudetta. The most shining names include those of Ian MacLaren, Kyra Alanova, Dorothy Sands, Albert Carroll and Junius Matthews.

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FOUR players constitute the entire cast of "Artistic Temperaments," at Wallack's Theater, the scene of Oliver Morosco's return as a New York producer. They are Donald Foster, Elizabeth Risdon, Austin Fairman and Gail Kane. It is a talkative domestic comedy which might be called "daring" or something of that sort. It involves an experimental writer of short stories, his jealous wife, an unmarried woman of 30 whose emotions are suppressed and a man who can't make up his mind whether he loves her or not. It isn't very heavy or definite.

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IRVING BERLIN'S fourth annual Music Box Revue permits the producer's loveliness of scene to take first place from the author's expected jazziness of tune. It is a succession of grand tableaux, opening with a Rip Van Winkle's gaze down the tremendous Hudson toward the New York which has grown while he slept. Fannie Brice is there with her wiles unimpaired. Bobby Clark and Paul McCullough are the most energetic of comedians. Carl Randall and Ula Sharon, the Pearsons, Claire Luce and the "Sixteen Sweet Sixteen" attend to the dancing. The show is an eye-full.

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THE ten best plays of last season as chosen and condensed by Burns Mantle for his new annual volume, are "The Show Off," "Hell Bent for Heaven," "The Swan," "Outward Bound," "The Goose Hangs High," "Beggar on Horseback," "The Changelings," "Sun Up," "Chicken Feed" and "Tarnish."

The Comforts of Home.

An indignant, but tactful Charleston grocer posted the folowing sign on his counter: "The lady who has been helping herself to crackers from the open box, will find toothpicks at the counter."

Otis Skinner Near Golden Anniversary

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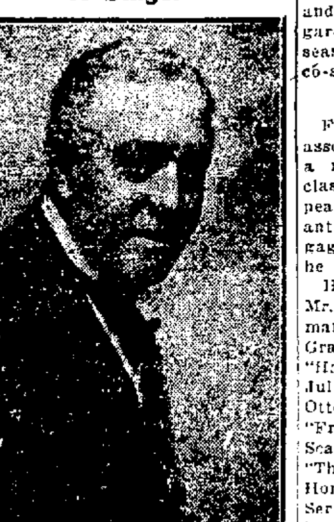

OTIS SKINNER.

Few playgoers realize that the career of Otis Skinner, who comes to the Lincoln Square theater Wednesday night, Dec. 17, in "Sancho Panza", is closely and affectionately interwoven with the stage lives of great players of another day.

Mr. Skinner made his professional debut at the Philadelphia Museum October, 1877. His first character was that of "Jim," an old negro, in the play of "Woodleigh."

IN 120 PARTS.

During his first year he had an unusually vigorous experience as a stock actor and when the season ended he had appeared in more than one hundred and twenty parts, among them "Uncle Tom." He was but seventeen years old at the time.

The following season he was in the stock company of the Walnut Street Theater, Philadelphia, supporting such stars as Janauschek, Lotta John McCullough, Lawrence Barrett, John T. Raymond, Fanny Davenport and Ada Cavendish and gaining vast experience and proficiency.

He then went to New York making his Metropolitan appearance in a spectacular fairy piece called "Enchantment," produced by the Brothers Kiralfy and Niblo's Garden Theater.

The season of 1880-1 found him a member of the Boston Theater company. The following three seasons he supported Lawrence Barrett, under whose direction he first rose to the position of leading man.

AS LEADING MAN.

Augustin Daly then made a contract for his services at Daly's Theater, New York, and from 1884 to 1889 he appeared as a leading member of the famous Daly company in the United States and Canada, and for three seasons in the capitals of Europe.

He then appeared as the leading support of Edwin Booth and Helena Modjeska in their joint tour, playing such parts as Laertes, Macduff, Bassanio, De Mauprat, etc.

During the seasons of 1890, 1891 and 92 he was leading man for Margaret Mather and during the second season Mr. Skinner was manager and co-star.

WITH MME. MODJESKA

For the next two years he was associated with Mme. Modjeska in a repertory of Shakespearean and classic plays and made his first appearance as Shylock in "The Merchant of Venice." Concluding this engagement, his last as a stock actor, he began his stellar career.

Here is a chronological record of Mr. Skinner's activities as a star, manager and producer: "His Grace de Grammont," "The King's Jester," "Hamlet," "Richard III," "Romeo and Juliet," "Lady of Lyons," "Prince Otto," "On a Balcony," "Lazarre," "Francesco da Rimini," "School for Scandal," "Taming of the Shrew," "The Harvester," "The Duel," "The Honor of the Family," "Your Humble Servant," "Sire," "Kismet," "The Silent Voice," "A Celebrated Case," "Cock o' the Walk," "Mister Antonio," "Humpty Dumpty," "Pietro," "At the Villa Rose," "Blood and Sand," and his present play, "Sancho Panza," in which he appears as the genial squire of that adventuresome knight errant, Don Quixote, hero of Cervantes' immortal work, "Don Quixote de la Mancha."

Mr. Skinner's reminiscences are appearing in book form, "Footlights and Spotlights," he calls his book with the sub-title "Recollections of My Life on the Stage."

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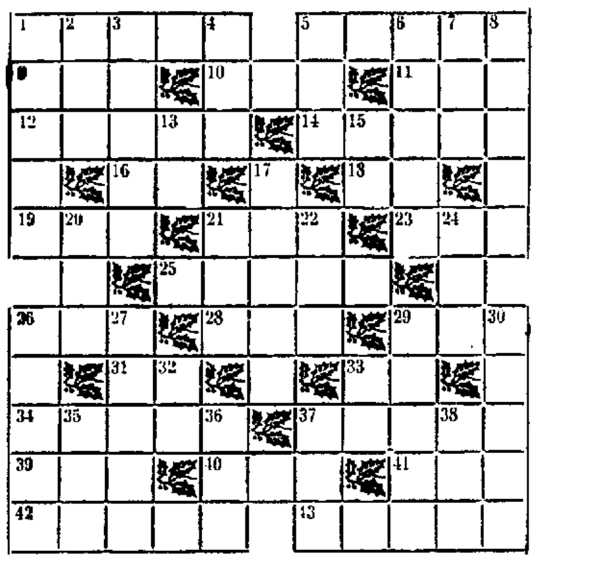

ONLY FIFTY WORDS

This is a 50-word puzzle with no word of more than five letters, that should give the fiends a busy half hour. Special commendation is due because the definitions are exact, scholarly and interesting.

HORIZONTAL.

1. To offend.
5. A recess.
9. Large bird.
10. Meadow.
11. A thigh.
12. Species of a large mammal.
14. An appearance.
16. A French conjunction.
18. Similar.
19. A voluntary transgression.
21. To immerse.
23. To be possible.
25. One suffering from a foul disease.
26. An aeriform fluid.
28. A pulpy growth.
29. Articles of apparel
31. Declaration.
33. Satisfactory.
34. To make reparation
37. Fragment.
39. A w...
40. A learning
41. To be ...
42. A healing agent
43. Pertaining to a royal court

VERTICAL.

1. Nuisances.
2. Small devil
3. A ruler.
4. Tree.
5. Coating on surface of cloth.
6. A cleft.
7. Part of verb denoting possession.
8. An abrasive.
13. A part of football team. (Abbr.)
15. Exclamation.
17. A reptile.
20. Girls name.
21. Moisture on surfaces
22. To write
24. Bustle.
26. A brittle substance
27. A bar.
29. A bony formation
30. Three-masted vessel.
32. Preposition.
33. Conjunction.
35. An English favorite
36. Before.
37. A very expert bookkeeper. (Abbr.)
38. One thousand two

Answer to Yesterday's Cross-Word Puzzle:

A	R	R	I	V	A	L	S		B	I	L	L
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ANSWER TO LITTLE PUZZLE

D	O	G		O	A	T
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Answer to Little Puzzle Saturday:

VARIETY THEATER HURT BY MOVIES

London, Dec. 13—The Variety Theater, once almost a national institution in Great Britain and patronized by all classes of society, is being crushed by the vogue of the movies and elaborate revues and by the lure of larger salaries for performers in America, according to Sir Alfred Butt, managing director of the Empire Theater in Leicester Square.

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NOT HARD BUT ALSO NOT EASY

Second Prize Winner of The Review's Own Puzzle Contest.

How did you like Mueller Cozad's puzzle, printed last Sunday? Pretty good for a boy, eh?

Some folks have admitted that they were unable to work it in its entirety, but they are going back to it from time to time, hoping for inspiration.

Here's the second prize winner in The Review's Cross-Word Puzzle-Making contest. Clarence R. Hight, a banker of Dalton City, is the maker of this puzzle—which is certainly a good one.

The answer will be printed in The Review Monday.

As to the third prize winner, that will appear next Sunday. It's a real one, too!

D. H. S. GLEE CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT

Christmas Program on Dec. 19 and Dec. 21.

The Boys' and Girls' Glee club of the Decatur high school, under the direction of Miss Mary Alma Thies, and assisted by the high school orchestra, will give a Christmas concert at 10 o'clock Friday morning, Dec. 19. The concert will be given at that time for the pupils of the school and will be held in the high school auditorium.

REPEAT PROGRAM.

A repetition of this concert will be given Sunday, Dec. 21, in the auditorium and to this the general public will be welcome. The same numbers used Friday morning will be on the Sunday program. They are:

Prelude—High school orchestra.

Brass quartet, "O, Come All Ye Faithful," — Clifford Mitchell, Kenneth Durham, Dale Harpole, Wayne Blowers.

Processional — "O. Come All Ye Faithful."

"Joy To The World"—Chorus.

"Story of the Nativity" — Willis Dougherty.

Sextet. "O. Holy Night"—Maxine Summers, Vivian Elliott, Creo Matthews, Jean Jester, Rhoda Bready, Lottie Garvin

Solo, "The Birthday of a King"—Leroy King.

"The First Noel"—Chorus.

Solo, "Under the Stars"—Jean Jester.

Quartet. "There's a Song in the Air"—Vivian Elliot, Creo Matthews, Kenneth Hinniger, Solon Crain.

Sextet and chorus, "Silent Night"—Rhoda Bready, Velma Critton, Maxine Summers, Doris Lyons, Lottie Garvin, Bessie Henry.

TO GIVE PAGEANT SUNDAY, DEC. 21

"The Light of the World" at Riverside Baptist Church.

"The Light of the World" by Marie M. Hine, composer, a beautiful pageant of the nativity for mixed voices will be given by the Riverside Baptist church on Sunday night, Dec. 21, at 7:30 in the church. The pageant is composed of eight parts presented with texts and read by Mrs. I. A. Fox.

The action takes place in pantomime on the platform by a number of persons in costume. The music is particularly attractive with its many solos, duets, quartets and chorus parts. Miss Dorothy Pickle of Pasadena, Cal., will be the accompanist. Text is arranged by Bertha C. Warnecke. Music by Maria M. Hine. Marion Pippin is director of the pageant.

WOMEN TO PLAY BIG WAR ROLES

St. Louis, Dec. 16—Women will take an even more prominent part in the next war than in the last, in the opinion of Capt. Joseph W. Bollenbeck, United States army, St. Louis. The war department, he said, contemplated using women in greater numbers than ever before, thus releasing men for the combatant armies.

A questionnaire was sent to the commanding general of each of the nine corps areas of the United States, requesting their opinions on the employment of women. Captain Bollenbeck, as executive officer of the headquarters sixth army, stationed here, reported 135 men in that unit could be replaced by women in time of war. They would be used as clerks.

Maiden Aunt (reading)—"In heaven there is no marrying or giving in marriage."

Small Edna—It must seem like heaven to you here on earth, doesn't it, auntie?

KEEN INTEREST IN ART GUILD EXHIBIT

Display At Art Institute Until Friday.

SCORES OF ARTICLES

Pottery, Jewelry, Enamel and Batik.

Keen interest is being shown in the exhibition of the Art Guild of Millikin university now taking place at the Art Institute. It is open every afternoon, including Sunday, to Friday, Dec. 16, inclusive, and also on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

Examples of the work of students in the art classes at the university comprise the major part of the exhibit, with articles of jewelry, wicker, batik, enamel and pottery. Although the showing is necessarily limited, being practically at the beginning of the collge year, it presents much artistic merit.

GOOD POTTERY WORK.

Worthy of especial comment are the pottery pieces of Bernice Deetz, a Millikin graduate of 1924, who is continuing her art work at the university. Miss Deetz is represented with several flower bowles and miniature figures that are molded in a delicate and distinctive manner. Some of these are to be entered in the exhibit of applied art to be held at the Chicago Art Institute next year.

Miss E. B. Robbins, director of the art department at Millikin is in charge of the exhibition. The batik work of the pupils in Miss Amy Woller's class in decoration is also of particular interest.

The complete list of article follows:

JEWELRY.

Ivory Pendant; ring—white opaque stone; pine—Janice Widick.

Ivory pendant; pin; bracelet ornament—Vernet Anderson.

Bracelet—Karlene Hughey.

Pendant and charm (three), silver bracelets—Robert Walters.

WICKER.

Tray—Mildred Eels.

BATIK

Handkerchiefs and scarfs—Miss Amy Woder.

Scarf and handkerchiefs—Mary Mitchell.

Handkerchiefs—Ruth Hamman.

Table runner—Mary A. Humphrey.

Handkerchiefs—Francis Post.

ENAMEL WORK

Enameled dainer; enameled tray—Rolande Brosseau

POTTERY.

Green vase; chocolate set; low bowl—Bernice Deetz.

Gesso box—Miss E. B. Robbins

Madonna—Irene Bianquest.

Flower holder—Robert Walters.

Bowl; small vase—Margaret Parkinson.

Small bowl; vase—Martha Holbrook.

Tile—Rolande Brosseau.

Tile—Maurine Reid.

Tile—Mary Mitchell.

Two figures; small bowl—Bernice Deetz.

Bowl—Janice Widick.

Tile—Imelda Curran.

WHAT NOT SHOP EXHIBIT.

The Whatnot Shop has an interesting collection in the north room at the Art Institute, forming part of the Art Guild exhibit. This includes several antiques of historical as well as artistic interest, such as a saddle bottle, Colonial candlestick, and ginger jar. There is a "sugar trough cradel" such as former grandmothers rocked, a doll cradle in the same style, and a ladder back chair. They are well worth seeing.

Following is the complete list:

Vaseline-glass bowl, Staffordshire bowl, Godey print, Mead plate, Bristol bowl, majolica plate, Wheildon plate, saddle bottle, historical flask, majolica plate, opium bowl, brass candlestick, bisque figures, Britannia pot, doll cradle, sugar trough cradle, early American glass lamp, Colonial candlestick, stenciled chair, Channing and Gibbs ginger jar, mahogany table, Victorian hen, ladder back chair, writing box, mahogany mirror, and Dresden figures.

DECORATED FABRICS.

In the same room is an exhibit of imported decorative fabrics by Miss Nora Hight. Modern and some antique chintzes, brocades, and silks are included. One of the most interesting is a lovely old chintz loaned by Mrs. Henrietta Scott McNulta. It is dated 1810, with the inscription "from Granpa Miser's store," and although it bears the marks of age its color and glaze are unimpaired.

The complete list follows:

1. Modern glazed chintz.
2. Glazed chintz, antique pillar design interwoven with naturalistic garlands.
3. Toile de Jouy. This is an unusually fascinating etching print, such as the ladies of France in the time of Louis XV travelled to Jouy to purchase.
4. Glazed chintz, urn motive, suggested by old Georgian chintz.
5. Glazed chintz, floral stripe.
6. Modern chintz, garden flower pattern.
7. Modern chintz, Georgian pattern.
8. Yellow toile de Jouy.
9. French brocade, from old design of petit point.
10. Glazed chintz, Chinese design.
11. Chippendale brocade.
12. Old chintz, loaned by Mrs. Henrietta Scott McNulta.
13. Mulberry damask.
14. Sunfast damask.
15. Glazed chintz, modern pattern
16. Chintz, plume design suggested by old Indo-Portuguese chintz.
17. English print.
18. Directoire silk.
19. Gold brocade panel.
20. Jacobean brocade.

ADD TO EXHIBIT.

Starting Sunday, an addition to the Art Guild exhibit will be in the form of several examples of Chinese and Japanese art which will be shown in the dining room at the Art Institute. These are the property of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Beath, who have a Chinese art shop in the old Walston residence on North Main street. They are extremely artistic and valuable antiques.

The section includes the following:

1. Large Chinese silk wall panel, 150 years old, in hand-embroidered colors, entitled "The God of Long Life and the Eight Immortals."
2. Antique brocade, regular design.
3. Antique cloak used by Chinese priests.
4. Japanese velvet runner, imperial yellow.
5. Imperial Chinese cut silk piece, used in shrine.
6. Japanese brocade.
7. Korean temple candlestick.
8. Two fine porcelain vases, Chinese.
9. Chinese throne piece. This was taken from the Imperial throne by the Manchus during the revolution of 1912.
10. Brocade from Chinese palace.

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BOYD WALKER FOR BOYS' CONFERENCE

To Be Held in Decatur on Feb. 21-22.

Boyd I. Walker, state Y. M. C. A. boys' work secretary and director of Camp Seymour, and E. W. Brandenburg of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A., have been secured to speak at the third annual Macon County Older Boys' conference which will be held in Decatur Feb. 21 and 22. An attempt is being made by the boys' work committee of the Y. M. C. A. to secure Rev. Morgan Williams, a prominent minister in Evanston, as the other major speaker for the conference.

This conference is being held under the auspices of the Older Boys' council of Decatur, the Employed Boys' brotherhood and the Hi-Y clubs of Decatur.

The conference is for all Macon county and it is hoped by those in charge that every church in the county will be represented by at least one boy.

Entertainment will be provided for the boys from out of town in Decatur homes.

The exact place of the meetings and the entire program have not yet been worked out but will be announced later.

SCOTT CAN FILE FOR NEW TRIAL

Chicago, Dec. 13—Russell Scott, one time wealthy Canadian construction engineer, and promoter, was found guilty last night of the murder of Joseph Maurer, drugstore clerk, in a holdup last April and punishment was fixed at death by the jury which deliberated only 45 minutes.

Argument on a motion for a new trial was set by Judge Lynch for hearing on Jan. 3.

He's Frank, Anyway.

Waiter making out check)—Beg pardon, madam, but did you have strawberry or orange ice?

Customer—It tasted like glue.

Waiter—That was the strawberry the orange tastes like paste.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

ST. PATRICK'S M. S.

The St. Patrick's Missionary society will meet all day Tuesday with Mrs. Frank Smith, 932 West Packard.

AUTO TAKEN.

Harley Yates of 731 North Water street reported to the police Saturday evening that some time between 9:30 Friday afternoon and 9:30 Saturday morning, some one stole his Ford Touring car from Parke & Son's shed. The license number is 82-222.

COAT STOLEN.

Mrs. Guy Walden of Cerro Gordo reported to the police Saturday evening that her long brown Bolivia coat with genuine beaver collar and a long brown silk tassel in front had been stolen from her car, which was parked at the east side of Central park. Two dozen fresh eggs on the seat beside the coat had no attraction for the thief.

GIVE CHRISTMAS PARTY.

A Christmas party for the Decatur representatives of the Equitable Life Insurance Co. of the United States was held Friday evening from 8 until 1:30 o'clock in the offices of the company. About twenty people attended and the party included several of the agents in the surrounding territory, their wives and friends as well as the office force. Games were played and refreshments served. Gifts were exchanged. Dancing was also enjoyed.

TAKE ELEVATOR MONDAY.

Edward Jokisch and Co. who recently purchased the Warrensburg grain elevator from Charles Faith of Warrensburg, will take over the management and ownership Monday morning. They also take over all grain on hand and all corn contracted for.

MORE GREENERY.

To the Christmas greenery in the city two more of the beauties of nature have been added within the last few days. These are boxwood wreaths and a bunch of long pine needles. Both needles and wreaths sell for twenty-five cents, the needles being priced by the bunch.

$10 TO PENSION FUND.

The policemen's pension fund was increased Saturday morning when Fred Kipp, the well known grocer at Broadway and Eldorado street, handed Sergeant Tim Collins a check for $10 in token of his appreciation for the capture of William Jenkins by Officer L. L. Gibbons a few days ago. Jenkins had succeeded in passing five of his forged checks on Decatur merchants before Officer Gibbons caught him.

WELFARE HOME BOARD.

The Board of Directors of the Welfare Home will have an all day sewing Monday in the home.

SEEKS INFORMATION.

Chief Davenport has received a letter from a woman in San Francisco, Cal., asking him to get her some information about Ernest I. Uttley, whom she thinks spent his early life in Decatur. She says Uttley wants to marry her only daughter, and before giving her consent she wants to know something about him.

$87 FROM BAZAAR.

The Seventh Street Christian church bazaar and candy sale, held Saturday in the Augustine and Oplinger store, netted $87. A quilt, some dresses and other articles not sold will be sold at another sale to be held at the church next Wednesday, Dec. 17.

250 ATTEND D. H. S SENIOR PARTY

Gymnasium Is Beautifully Decorated.

More than 250 members of the senior class of the Decatur high school and their friends attended the annual senior party held Saturday night in the high school gymnasium.

The gym was beautifully decorated to represent a snow scene and an ice-palace effect was given by white lattice covered with cotton snow and pendant icicles. A fountain all in white held the center of the room while at the extreme end a tripod supported a large "D" and "25", the class numerals outlined in gold and blue lights, carrying out the class color scheme.

IN RECEIVING LINE.

In the receiving line were the officers of the class and members of the faculty, including Mrs. Minnie P. Hostetler, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Sprunger, Miss Grace Bridges and Miss Bunch. The class officers are as follows:

President—Eugene Auth.
Vce-president—Virginia Ammen.
Secretary—Fred Kaiser.
Treasurer—Eugene Abrams.

Solos by Raymond Lonnen, a dance by Dorothy Abaly and Charles Fishback and a novelty "checkerboard dance" on a huge checkerboard with boys and girls as pieces, and other feature numbers made up the program. Frappe and wafers were served.

The plans and arrangements for the party were carried out by a committee headed by Virginia Ammen.

Annual Gridiron Dinner Has Usual Mirth, Frolic

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tioneer with gusto, "will be used for charity. They will be donated to the Democratic national committee."

A convention radio amplifier, the first item to go up, brought out eager bids from everybody but Chairman Shaver. He declared that never again would the proceedings of a Democratic national convention be broadcast by radio if he could help it. The instrument was knocked down to Chairman Butler.

MAXIMUM SILENCE.

When Mr. Butler examined his purchase he discovered it was not am amplifier at all, but a maxim silencer.

"Stung," chorused the losing bidders joyously.

"Oh not at all," responded Mr. Butler, blandly. "Its just what I wanted to send to a friend for Christmas."

Explanations developed that the friend to whom he wished to apply the silencer was Secretary Wilbur of the navy department, whose sudden recall from a speaking trip in the west during the campaign at the call of the white house was the subject of lively comment and speculation at the time.

Nobody wanted to bid on "the famous campaign teapot" which next was offered but there was excited competition for the "pictorial farmers costume, guaranteed to make any candidate look like a Vermont farmer."

MANGUS JOHNSON.

Mangus Johnson bid the highest for it and carried it off.

"Going to have your picture taken in it?" suggested the auctioneer.

"Picture nothing," roared Mangus. "I'm going to use it after March fourth."

A map of the southern states went to Chairman Shaver of the Democratic national committee, who explained it made it easy for him to figure up the electoral votes cast for John W. Davis.

"But this map," he objected on examination, "doesn't show Kentucky."

B. C.—BEFORE COOLIDGE.

"Its a new map," explained the auctioneer. "Kentucky was Democratic B. C.—before Coolidge."

"So this map is A. D." queried the Democratic chairman.

"Yes. After Davis."

The campaign hat of Senator LaFollette was knocked down to McAdoo and the auctioneer offered the "platform that won the election."

"If anybody has a right to the Republican platform," shouted Senator Butler, "I have."

"I said the winning platform," admonished the auctioneer.

"This is the progressive platform."

"The progressive platform didn't elect LaFollette," persisted the bidder.

"No," rejoined the auctioneer, "but it elected Coolidge."

1928 CAMPAIGN.

When the Democratic platform was up, Governor Smith bought it, remarking that he was going to rewrite it for 1928.

"The next Democratic national convention won't go to New York" sneered McAdoo.

"No," retorted Smith, "but the nomination will."

The auctioneer bunched the remainder of the lot of relics including the league of nations issue, the Red Bloc, the little green house on K street, a choice assortment of peewits and the record of the Boston police strike. Nobody wanted to bid on any of them.

"All those issues," interrupted Mr. Butler, "are busted."

A shattered Bull Moose head, offered next, threw the bidders into such competitive activity for its possession that the party withdrew in disorder and the entertainment passed to a musical skit introducing the two women governors elect—Mrs. Ferguson of Texas, and Mrs. Ross of Wyoming.

With other skits of wit and music the entertainment ran late into the evening and President Coolidge closed the program with a few remarks, which can only be described as "appropriate to the occasion."

FOUNDER DEAD.

Early in the proceedings, before the club turned to the evening's fun, it paid a respectful tribute to three members who have passed away since the last dinner. They were Frank G. Carpenter, John H. Nolan and David R. McKee, the last of whom assisted in founding the club 40 years ago.

Two new members were properly "gridironed" and initiated. They were James L. Wright of the Cleveland Plain Dealer and Henry Suydam of the Brooklyn Eagle.

MARION VANCIL CHAMP SPELLER

Will Represent Christian County at State Match.

Taylorville, Dec. 13—Marion Vancil, thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Vancil and a student of the eighth grade at the Taylorville junior high school, claimed the county championship in spelling in the contest that was conducted here Saturday afternoon by County Superintendent of Schools O. P. Simpson. He also won the $5 in gold that went with the championship, and the right to represent Christian county at the state spelling match in Springfield Dec. 29.

Young Vancil attained his "place in the sun" by spelling correctly 175 words ... nounced by Superintendent Simpson in competition with twenty six other contestants.

In spelling the first 100 words twenty three of the contestants were eliminated ...

Christmas

—this year is going to be "merry" indeed to those fortunate enough to receive one of the fine baskets shown in our north window. It is well worth your while to stop and look at this window of Japanese Art Duro Baskets filled with home made Candies —such as only Princess makes.

Before buying your Christmas Box Candy—see the beautiful cushion boxes we have. A friend receiving one as a gift is sure to be well satisfied.

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For Mother

Boudoir Lamps, Silverware, China, Bird Cages, Bird Stands, Glassware, Vacuum Cleaner, Washing Machine, Electrical Gifts

For Daughter

Vanity Sets, Candy Jars, Fountain Pens, Eversharp Pencils, Curling Irons, Boudoir Lamps, Incense Burners, Sweaters, Golf Clubs

For Son

Pocket Knives, Bicycles, Hunting Goods, Toys, Sleds, Skates, Guns, Footballs, Basketballs

For Baby

Dolls, Rubber Balls, Blocks, Kiddie Cars, Wagons, Baby Silverware, Baby Plates, Toys

For Grandpa

Thermos Bottles, Radio Sets, Sweaters, Flashlights, Pocket Knives, Fancy Baskets

For Grandma

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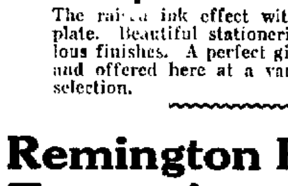

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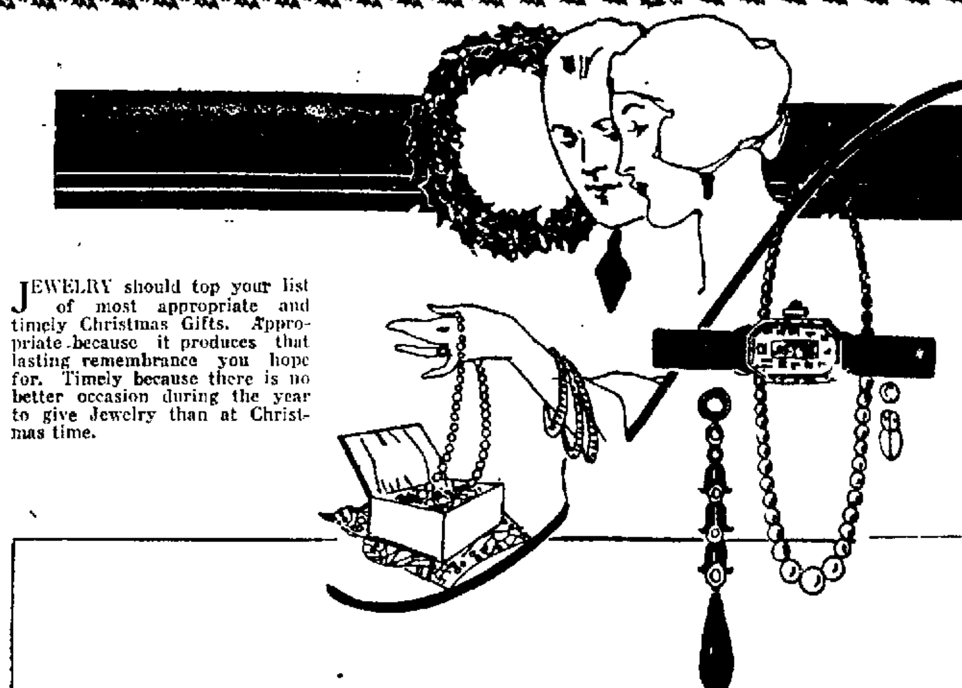

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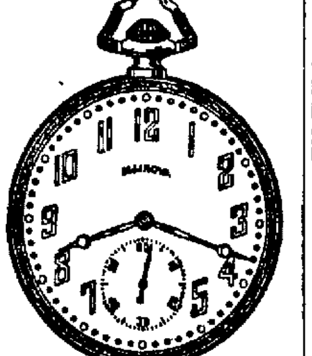

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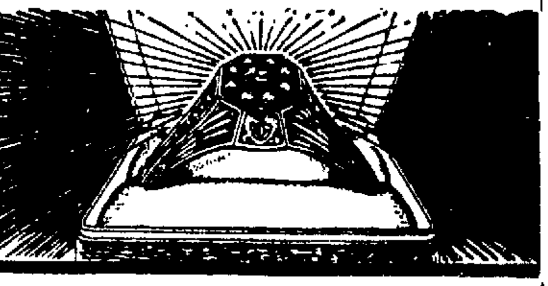

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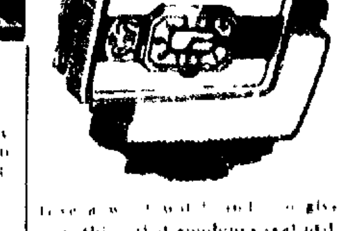

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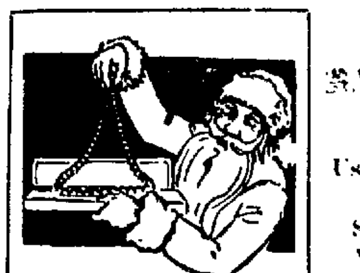

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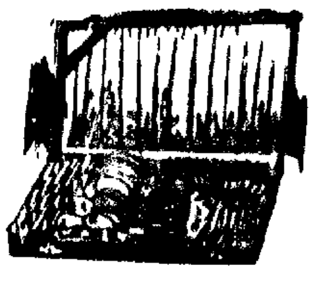

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Seven Western Football Players Make Perry's All-American Team

Second Selection Has Equal Number

Sport Critic Ignores East In All But Three of Twenty Places.

FIRST TEAM	POS	SECOND TEAM
Wakefield, Vanderbilt	L E	Otte, Iowa
Gowdy, Chicago	L T	Weir, Nebraska
Pondelik, Chicago	L G	Parsons, N. W. U.
Walsh, Notre Dame	C	Probst, Alabama
Slaughter, Michigan	R G	Howard, Princeton
Joss, Yale	R T	Edwards, Michigan
Luman, Yale	R E	Hubbard, Centenary
Stuhldreher, Notre Dame	Q B	Parkins, Iowa
Grange, Illinois	L H	Schutte, Minnesota
Baker, N. W. U.	R H	Layden, Notre Dame
Wycoff, Georgia Tech	F B	Thomas, Chicago

BY LAWRENCE PERRY
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One thing that may be said for the players selected by the writer for his All American team of 1924 is that they maintained their form consistently throughout the season. They were great when the season began and equally great—if not greater—when the season ended.

There never was a year so filled with upsets and surprises of various sorts. And under such conditions it is not surprising that players have shown fluctuations. It was these variations in form induced that contributed very largely to overturns that occurred with frequency so startling throughout the season.

Perhaps there are players who in single games rose to greater heights than some of those named in the writer's All American team. But so it was a flash, a rocket soaring skyward and then failing to carry very quickly.

It has been the writer's aim to select players whom he saw in action and in the teams named he has been able for the most part to carry out this idea. In the few cases where players were not seen the writer selected them on the basis of abundant information received from men for whose judgment no one could have aught but the highest respect.

GREAT ENDS

Luman of Yale was a great end in the light of the Big Three tradition of offensive and defensive wing play. That is saying a great deal. ... he fulfilled ... very engine of destruction ... forward passes ... everything ... had have.

Wakefield of Vanderbilt may be credited with everything said of Luman and in addition he was an unerring receiver ... for forward passes and everything else. So great was his versatility that in emergency he was played in a variety of positions.

OTHER HAD PLAYS

... of Iowa was a great end in everything that pertains to his position ... Hubbard of ... hundred ... only the opportunity to show against a major opponent ... the highest possible ...

Other great ends were Romey of ... and ... of Notre Dame ... of Chicago was good and so was Hanson of Syracuse. Lemon of Centre was a corker and so was ... of Illinois. Rokusek of Illinois was another crackerjack. Dilweg of Marquette, Keenan of Cornell, Henderson of Cornell and Drews of Princeton were extremely good above the average.

GOWDY, JOSS OUTSTANDING

Gowdy, of Chicago was not only ... versed in all the phases of tackle play, an outstanding man in the strongest line in the conference, but in emergency he could be drafted to play other line positions.

Joss of Yale was not only a finished player in all the requirements of his tackle position but a very dangerous man when it came to receiving a forward pass. Strong, fast, versatile, there was no better tackle in the country than he.

SECOND PLACES

Weir of Nebraska and Edwards of Michigan won the respect of every opponent they faced and might take places on any eleven. Other able tackles were Hall, Illinois; Beuthel of Colgate; Hayman, Virginia; Beattie, Princeton; Hancock, Iowa and Cox, Minnesota.

TWO VETERAN GUARDS

Of the two All America guards Pondelik of Chicago was a veteran—strong, fast, heady and untiring. He is one of the finest guards of all time. Another veteran, Slaughter of Michigan, left nothing to be desired in any phase of play. His technical knowledge, the power and ferocity of his charging, were always felt not by one man but by the entire side of an opposing line.

There were not too many splendid guards. Parsons of Northwestern was almost in the class of the two named for All America. Howard of Princeton was also excellent and so were Steel of Michigan, Hieberstein of Wisconsin, ... of Chicago, Joselove of Georgia, Godwin of Georgia Tech and Larwick of Army.

BEST CENTER OF ALL TIME

Adam Walsh the writer regards as the best center who ever stood on the gridiron. A heady man ... was deadly in defending against forward passes and in tackling. He passed flawlessly and was all over the field. Probst of Alabama was another center of the same sort, a gigantic man who ranged with the speed of an end. Horrell of California will be picked by many.

The writer did not see Horrell but I cannot believe better than Adam Walsh or Probst. Garbisch, Army; Lovejoy, Yale; Lawrence, Auburn; Brown, Michigan and Kubale, Centre were other high class pivot men.

STUHLDREHER, TACTICIAN

For quarterback Stuhldreher was the greatest tactician in the ... circles not barred. His ability to diagnose a rival defense, his own ability to run and pass were marvelous and he is approached only by Parkin who in fact equals the Notre Dame star in every respect but in uncanny intelligence. Dooley of Dartmouth comes right after this pair. So does Covington of Centre who would have won the position in any ordinary year. Then there was Hall of Illinois. And there were Bunnell of Yale, Cameron of Ohio State, Kelly of Montana—a dazzling star—Pease of Columbia, Rockwell, Michigan, Lorber, Indiana, Graham, Minnesota, Edgar Jones of Florida, another triple threat dazzler.

BAKER AND GRANGE

Baker of Northwestern can do everything—and do it well—and a back ever did. There is no more finished a triple threat man in the country. For one ... consistent value to an eleven.

1924 ALL I. I. A. C. HONOR FOOTBALL TEAM

1—... quarterback Lombard 2—Carp, tackle Millikin 3—Murphy, halfback Lombard 4—Siminski, center Bradley 5—Barrett, tackle Bradley 6—McNaught, guard Bradley 7—Harrison, guard Knox 8—Douglas, end Millikin 9—Carlson, end Bradley 10—Senn, halfback Knox 11—Holsinger, fullback McKendree.

Grange of Illinois is not only the greatest back of the year but in every respect the greatest halfback the writer has ever seen. His fame and exploits have been too widely sung to need further word.

A SCORING ...

... of ... was a ... back ... elusive in the open and deadly when he crashes into the line, a punter who drives far and places his kicks, a thrower of the ball on forward passes and a ... of overhead ...

Thomas of Chicago is nothing of the same type but less versatile. A great fullback however.

MANY GOOD BACKS

The season saw ... many ... Gilbert ... of Dartmouth ... Layden of Notre Dame ... of All America ... Crowley, Miller of Notre Dame was another. Pritchett of Rutgers, Ark Newton of Florida, Koppisch of Columbia, Reese of Vanderbilt, Hubert of Alabama, Cordy of Centre, Ledwig of Minnesota, Brown of Alabama, Thomas ... and Nelson and Hatcher of Georgia, Kirdi... West Virginia, Maphis of Virginia, ... of Ohio State, Graham of Minnesota, ... Purdue, Harris, Wisconsin, Slo... Indiana, ... West Virginia, Friedman, Michigan, ... of Illinois, Young of California, ... and ... of Stanford and ... of California—all these backs would have found eager acceptance by the coaches of any team in the country.

N DAME UNDER BIG HANDICAP

Irish Meet Stanford with Odds Against Them.

ST. VIATOR PLAYS AT DECATUR NOV. 21

Irish Puts Millikin on Grid Schedule.

... St. Viator ... Millikin ... of Dubuque ... next ... the first ...

Oct ... Northwestern at Kankakee
Oct 24—Valparaiso at Kankakee
Oct 31—Wesleyan at Kankakee
Nov 7—... at ...
Nov 14—... at Chicago
Nov 21—Millikin at Decatur
Nov 26—Loyola at Chicago

BASKETBALL CHART FOR CLINTON HIGH

Clinton, Dec. 13—Clinton high school's ... made up largely of ... veterans ... center and the ... guard positions. Jones and Morris with McAvoy and Rolks are subs.

The schedule which has been recently ... by Coach Wilson is as follows:

Dec 16—Kenney at Clinton
Dec 19—Lovington at Clinton
Dec 20—LeRoy at Clinton
Dec 23—Alumni
Jan 3—Bement at Bement
Jan 10—Mahomet at Clinton
Jan ...—County tournament
Jan ...—Waynesville at Waynesville
Jan 24—Bethany at Bethany
Jan 30—Farmer City at Clinton
Jan 31—Weldon at Clinton
Feb 6—Waynesville at Clinton
Feb 7—LeRoy at LeRoy
Feb 10—Kenney at Kenney
Feb 13—Bement at Clinton
Feb 14—Weldon at Weldon
Feb 20—Lovington at Lovington
Feb 1—Champaign at Clinton
Feb 21—Farmer City at Farmer City
Feb 27—Decatur at Clinton
... District tournament

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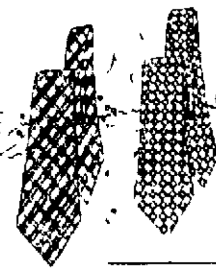

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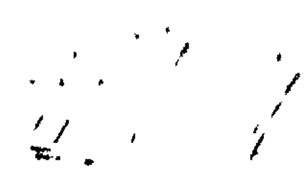

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Wesleyan Plays Millikin on Local Grid Oct. 17—No Bradley Game

Millikin Grid Chart Has Few Open Dates

Blue Will Not Meet Bradley In 1925—To Resume Relations With Illinois College.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD

Peoria Dec 13—After the smo[illegible] battle of the annual I. I. A. C. meeting had cleared away Friday evening at Peoria Athletic Director Johnson of Millikin [illegible] his football schedule for 19[illegible] [illegible] certain quart[illegible]

Two [illegible] the Blue is concern[illegible] and B[illegible] gridiron [illegible] will resume foot[illegible] with Illinois College af[illegible] era[illegible] year

WANTED [illegible]

Bradley [illegible] ous to book M[illegible] giving Day [illegible] next year but af[illegible] the Tractor City fo[illegible] Director Johnson [illegible] was only right that [illegible] should come to Decatur next season When the Bradley [illegible] nounced [illegible] was [illegible] Lombard had been scheduled for a Thanksgiving Day game with the Tech team making [illegible] one trip [illegible] from their own field—a journey [illegible] Bloomington to meet Illinois Wesleyan

ADD NORMAL ST VIATOR

The date of the Illinois College contest is Nov 7 and [illegible] game [illegible] be staged at J[illegible] Two sch[illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] Illino[illegible] M[illegible] ade [illegible] D[illegible] at the Peoria [illegible] Normal [illegible] Dec[illegible] on Oct[illegible] for De[illegible] the d[illegible] Johnson had [illegible] secur[illegible] loy

But two o[illegible] are set [illegible] this time [illegible] Wesleyan will come to Decatur Oct 27 which will no doubt [illegible] be homecoming battle while the Millikin team will travel to Rock Island on Nov 14 to meet Augustana

SEVERAL OPEN DATES

This leaves Oct 10, Oct 24, Oct 31 and possibly Thanksgiving Day as open for contests although Charleston Normal may be met on the Turkey Day engagement

Director Johnson has [illegible] adding two and possibly three more games to the chart within the next few weeks. The [illegible] Miners are anxious to meet [illegible] while DePauw [illegible] Loyola U and several other [illegible] well known in the Middle West

If possible to secure a contest with Washington U again this season the Blue may make the trip to St Louis for the second straight year

Knox is [illegible] out of the question and [illegible] Millikin and Siwash elevens [illegible] be at Carthage [illegible]

TRACK AND BASEBALL

[illegible] Coach J[illegible] son to com[illegible] ball and track schedules [illegible] eral con[illegible] via corre[illegible]

Wesleyan [illegible] reka [illegible] meets and [illegible] staged [illegible] Four [illegible] two [illegible] Wes[illegible] ments [illegible] some [illegible] Teachers [illegible] May [illegible] nal [illegible] Bloom[illegible]

[illegible]

Millikin Grid Schedule.

- Oct. 3—Normal at Decatur.
- Oct 10—Open.
- Oct 17—Wesleyan at Decatur
- Oct. 24—Open
- Oct 31—Open
- Nov 7—Millikin at Ill College
- Nov. 14—Millikin at Augustana
- Nov. 21—St Viator at Decatur.
- Nov 26—Open

the new group. Just what schools to be included in the Little Eigh or Little Ten as the new conference may be called is not known

No matter if one [illegible] in sympathy with a new conference or strong for the larger group the fact remains that the I. I. A. C. is functioning about as well as a pair of roller skates without ball bearings

It was voted to hold the annual meeting next year in Chicago at the same time of the Big Ten meeting while Knox College was awarded the track and field meet for 1925

Director Johnson left Peoria Friday night for Milwaukee to be with his basketball quintet in the game at Marquette university. He will return today from the Cream City

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N. Dame Under Big Handicap

(Continued from Page Nineteen)

directed by the resourceful Warner

These two great coaches have been the brains back of much that is worth while in football. Many of the innovations that have been introduced into the game are credited to Rockne and Warner

Warner in his first year at Stanford has met marked success. His team is generally credited with being the Pacific coast champions although the title is a bit shrouded

Both California last year's title holder and Stanford have a clean slate. In most sports a champion is a champion until he is beaten. California has been tied but not beaten

As a matter of fact the awarding of the title by the experts to California is based on the fact that California was [illegible] tied while Stanford only once by California

Discuss Eligibility

Then there is the question about the eligibility of Clev[illegible] Stanford star. It is alleged he has played more than the regulation three year

The coast championship [illegible] settled until [illegible] [illegible] Notre Dame [illegible]

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STREATOR SEES GOOD CAGE TEAM

Streator D[illegible] 1[illegible]—With five men [illegible] this year's champi[illegible]ship team [illegible] on the floor Coach [illegible] Dal[illegible] the town in high [illegible] expects to put a [illegible] in the [illegible] for the Illinois [illegible] conference title again [illegible]

Last year's team in addition to winning the Illinois valley title last season took the district title and was only beaten in the sectional tournament by Elgin which later [illegible] the title

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SHAUTE IN NEED OF SPEEDY BALL

Cleveland Dec 13— If Joe Shaute [illegible] a little more stuff on his fast ball he would be one of the greatest [illegible] of all time says the veteran Sherry Smith himself a crack [illegible]hander when in his prime

Shaute won twenty games for Cleveland last season despite the fact that American League batters [illegible] that his fast ball is hittable [illegible] I prefer to pick on [illegible]

Shaute has a great physique and [illegible] developed arm says Smith [illegible] should be able to get a better [illegible] his fast one. In all probability [illegible] due to the way he lets it go

When I was hard to hit at I had [illegible] ball that kept the batters from [illegible] the plate. A southpaw to be effective must keep them away from the plate

Joe has a fine curve is a great fielder can hit and mixes them up well. When he gets a little more stuff on his fast one and it's possible he will shortly American League batters are going to find him a hard guy to beat

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SOLLARS HAS HARD CHART AT BEMENT

Bement Ill [illegible] black sol[illegible] [illegible] basketba[illegible] team fires [illegible] ever [illegible] up [illegible] Twenty [illegible] first [illegible] of the [illegible] from [illegible] The Bement [illegible] Tuscola Thu[illegible] The remainin[illegible]

- Dec 17—Sal[illegible] h[illegible]
- Dec 19—W[illegible]
- Jan 1—Atwood h[illegible]
- Jan 9—Clinton h[illegible]
- Jan 16—Sullivan [illegible]
- Jan 23—Tusc[illegible] here
- Jan 30—Bement [illegible]
- Feb 3—Ber[illegible]
- Feb 6—Montic[illegible]
- Feb 12—Bemen[illegible]
- Feb 13—Bemen[illegible]
- Feb 2[illegible]—Bement [illegible] At[illegible]
- Feb [illegible]—Bemen[illegible] Nok[illegible]
- Feb [illegible]—Be[illegible]
- March [illegible] Dist[illegible] [illegible]

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MT ZION GAMES

[illegible] Zion Independents [illegible] an has been organiz[illegible] [illegible] year and a fast team [illegible] team desires games with [illegible] fast independent teams in towns surrounding Mt Zion. Write Harold Jones Mt Zion or telephone him after 6 p m

CAPTAIN "SHEP" BINGHAM

Yale Captain Is Waiter

Newly Elected Leader of Blue Football Team Is Working His Way Through College.

Yale's football captain for 1925 is Shep Bingham who starred at end with Luman last season

Once upon a time the belief existed that only a descendant of some of the first families was eligible to captain a Yale team

Bingham however completely disproves such a theory. He is working his way through college and is said to be as proficient at handling a tray of dishes as catching a forward pass

In other words Bingham is just a plain waiter in civilian life. Students at his table say he hasn't made a fumble of a single dish since taking up the profession of slinging hash

MILLIKIN NOT TO PLAY BRADLEY 11

Blue and White Left Off Grid Chart.

[illegible] Ill Dec 13— Bradley and Millikin [illegible] football foes will not meet [illegible]

[illegible] has been signed for [illegible] [illegible] held [illegible] [illegible] in De[illegible] [illegible] Bradley could [illegible]

Roberts [illegible] Bradley [illegible] and Johnson of Millikin discussed plans [illegible] attending the I. I. A. C. meeting but [illegible] [illegible] The Bradley [illegible]

- Oct 3—Open
- Oct 10—Franklin college here
- Oct 17—Chicago Y. M. C. A. col[illegible]
- Oct 24—Illi[illegible] coll[illegible] here
- Oct 31—[illegible] state coll[illegible] here
- Nov 7—St Viator her[illegible]
- Nov 14—Illinois Wesleyan there
- Nov 21—Eur[illegible] here
- Nov 26 — Thanksgiving Day) Lombard her[illegible]

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GRAND CIRCUIT TO ADOPT SCHEDULE

Cleveland Ohio Dec 1[illegible]—At the meeting here January [illegible] and 6 Grand Circuit [illegible] are expected to adopt a tentative racing schedule

Aurora Ill [illegible] new member of the circuit replacing W[illegible] O[illegible] Atlanta and Poughkeepsie [illegible] to the circuit [illegible] [illegible] August [illegible]

The stewards [illegible] is expected also consider [illegible] of horses [illegible] The schedule provides racing [illegible] Aurora from July to August [illegible]

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WESLEYAN MEETS MILLIKIN NINE

Bloomington Ill Dec 1[illegible] [illegible] Cart[illegible] [illegible] baseball schedule eleven games being booked. Two games are arranged with Millikin on May [illegible] in Decatur and May 29 here

The schedule

- May 1—St Viator here
- May 2—Illinois college [illegible]
- May [illegible]—Millikin there
- May 9—Bradley there
- May 1[illegible]—Macomb here
- May 16—Bradley home
- May 2[illegible]—St Viator there
- May 2[illegible]—Eureka there
- May 29—Millikin home
- June 2—Eureka home
- June 6—Illinois college the[illegible]

NURMI WILL BE DEFEATED HERE

Paddock Predicts Downfall of Finn.

BY JOE WILLIAMS

Paavo Nurmi powerful Finn is the most remarkable runner of all time. Charley Paddock tells you that

Yet Nurmi will be beaten the first race he runs in this country next month. Paddock also tells you that

This bewildering paradox needs an explanation

Nurmi will be beaten in this country says Paddock chiefly because he will be running indoors. Nurmi is an out door runner. In Finland there are no indoor tracks. Very likely Nurmi has never run an indoor race in his life

HARD RUNNING INDOORS

"The difference is greater than you'd suppose. The air is heavier. The track is harder. Usually the straightaways are shorter and the turns more abrupt. Continuous practice will minimize these handicaps somewhat. But Nurmi will get little practice

Paddock thinks Americans must soon adopt Nurmi's unique system of self timing. The Finn runs with a watch in the palm of his right hand. He knows exactly how fast he is going how many seconds it takes him to do a lap how close he is to a record or how far away from one

To some this system may sound too complicated to be practical says Paddock but I think it has its good points especially in the middle distances and the long runs. There is such a thing as regulating the human body to a maximum speed for a certain length of time and that is what Nurmi has done

HAS UNIQUE IDEA

"Of course it takes a terrific amount of practice to do this. Nurmi got the idea himself. Day after day he would time himself over a given distance. Finally he hit upon a speed which he thought best fitted to his power and this became his standard speed

In the races that followed he would run the last lap as fast as the first lap. The pace throughout was uniform and even. That was how he ran in the Olympics. He was a marvel to us Americans

We were accustomed to see distance runners come staggering down the stretch puffing and snorting, their faces twisted with agony

"Nurmi however finished without visible effort with an easy steady stride and breathing as lightly as if he had been out for a stroll

Who'll beat Nurmi in this country?" Paddock [illegible] it will be Willie Ritola an other Finn. Not that R[illegible] [illegible] runner but that he is used to [illegible] running. Nurmi beat Ritola in [illegible] an outdoor track

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Basketball Champs.

- 1906—Minnesota.
- 1907—Chicago-Wisconsin
- 1908—Chicago.
- 1909—Chicago
- 1910—Chicago.
- 1911—Minnesota-Purdue
- 1912—Wisconsin-Purdue
- 1913—Wisconsin
- 1914—Wisconsin
- 1915—Illinois
- 1916—Wisconsin
- 1917—Illinois-Minnesota
- 1918—Wisconsin
- 1919—Minnesota
- 1920—Chicago
- 1921—Wisconsin-Michigan-Purdue
- 1922—Purdue
- 1923—Wisconsin-Iowa
- 1924—Chicago-Wisconsin-Illinois

ARREST MANDELL; WILL TEST LAW

Rockford Ill Dec 13—Sammy Mandell Rockford lightweight arrested last [illegible] at his gymnasium for violating the Illinois boxing law was arraigned this morning and bound over to the grand jury [illegible] a $1000 bond. He is charged with [illegible]stigating a boxing exhibition

The exhibition in question was a [illegible] round contest between Mandell [illegible] my Gibbons St Paul [illegible] heavyweight a stable mate of Sammy. Gibbons received no compensation for his [illegible] The bout was the main attraction [illegible] monthly show at Mandell's gymnasium

TEST STATE LAW

"We intend to fight this case through to the supreme court and make a thorough test of the state boxing law" [illegible] attorney Thomas Gill said [illegible] night. "I don't think the grand jury [illegible] indict him" Gill added "but if they [illegible] a body of men in Winnebago [illegible] will say a boy as clean as Sammy M[illegible] is guilty of a crime we want to [illegible] it

Gill has advised Mandell to go [illegible] with his January show as scheduled [illegible] a protest is made an injunction [illegible] sought restraining interference until [illegible] pending case is settled

Millikin Has Dozen Conference Battles

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BY FRANK WEIR

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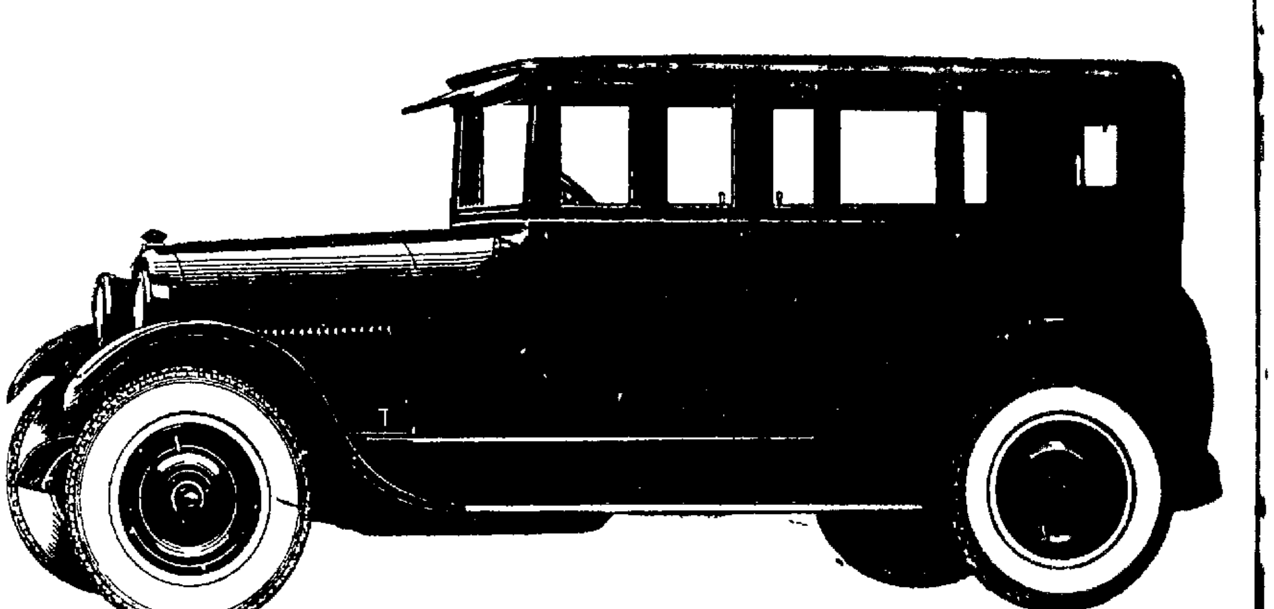

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Millikin Defeats Marquette, 22-12

Blue and White Too Clever For Big Marquette Team —Rex Millikin Stars.

BY ERNEST R. BOILLAL

[illegible] most of his men [illegible] an attempt to stop the [illegible] the visitors who employed the short passing game and a fast dribble.

Dilweg, captain of the 1921 Marquette football team and mentioned in several honor teams in the west [illegible].

The summary.

Millikin—	FG	FT	PF	TP
Long forward	1	0	0	2
Milliken forward	5	0	0	10
Madden center	2	0	0	4
Douglass center	1	0	0	2
Arrington guard	0	0	2	0
Bishop guard	2	0	0	4
Totals	11	0	2	22
Marquette—	FG	FT	PF	TP
McCormick forward	1	0	0	2
Devine forward	0	0	1	0
Akeo, forward	2	2	0	6
Herte forward	0	0	0	0
Freeman center	0	0	0	0
Heimsch center	1	0	0	2
Dilweg center	0	0	0	0
Cauckler guard	0	0	0	0
Lahay guard	0	0	1	0
Demoling guard	1	0	1	2
Totals	5	2	3	12

BIG TEN GRID TEAMS ARE HIT

Graduation Takes Many Stars From 1924 Lineups.

Chicago Dec 13—A host of great football stars wound up their collegiate football days in the final games of Nov 22 and there will be many vacant spots to be filled next fall.

While not being wrecked by any means the championship Chicago team suffers hard by graduation. Of the twenty three men who were awarded the varsity C twelve have played their last game in Maroon jerseys Captain Gowdy center and Lmrich and Frieda, his two understudies Pondelik and Rolleston guards Goodman tackle all four ends Barnes Barto Law and Long and Thomas and Caruso halfbacks are the Seniors.

Iowa loses a good flock of letter men Fleckenstein and McIntyre guards [illegible] tackle [illegible] and Capt [illegible] quarterback and Fisher and Schnlebur fullbacks.

ILLINOIS LOSES FIVE

Illinois loses some [illegible] the regular line being practically wiped out. The senior [illegible] are [illegible] Umnus centers Miller and [illegible] guards Capt Rokusek and Lollett ends and Schultz and McIlwain halfbacks and Hall tackle.

Michigan loses six of its twenty one M men which is not [illegible] but the list of seniors takes some of the outstanding men of the [illegible] Steele and Slaughter guards Reed will quarterback Capt Steger halfback and Marion fullback will graduate.

GOPHERS HIT HARD

Minnesota's team loses perhaps more heavily than any other machine [illegible] son Gay Bullitt Clapp and Mathews guards and Capt Cox Cross and MacDonald tackles all veterans of the strong Gopher line will be missing, which means that Minnesota must build up a new line at every position from tackle to tackle. Next fall [illegible] halfback and [illegible] fullback the two outstanding stars in the backfield have also completed their years of eligibility. Both had previous varsity experience before coming to Minnesota which reduced their period of eligibility. Peterson fullback is another senior and the loss of these eleven M men will give Bill Spalding one whale of a job next season.

OHIO STATE

Ohio State loses Capt Young and Watson ... Kutler guard Schmidt tackle Wilson end Cameron quarterback and [illegible] halfback.

Wisconsin gets off fairly easily losing only four men but they are four good ones [illegible] center Miller and [illegible] guards and Capt Harris halfback.

Northwestern rejoices that its 1924 team will come back almost intact. On five letter men are expected to be missing. Parsons Kelly and Townsend guards Graham halfback and Capt [illegible] fullback.

Purdue loses four good veterans Capt Claypool center Wellman tackle [illegible] halfback and Wroth fullback. Indiana loses Sloate Woodward Lorber Niness Butler and Springer.

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PEORIA TO HAVE 1924 BALL TEAM

Fans Solidly Behind Three-I Franchise.

BY BAIT FOR BUGS

Peoria Ill Dec 13—Just write your own ticket that Peoria will have a ball club in the Three Eye League for 192[illegible]. It may not be under the guidance of the same men who have been operating the team for the last eight or nine years but Peoria will have baseball.

There are two reasons—first the fans of the city want baseball and second the business men of the city—represented by the Association of Commerce realize that the baseball club is an asset to Peoria and will go to the limit to take care of any situation that may arise.

Dr C G Farnum president of the Association of Commerce isn't what you would call an enthusiastic baseball man but he realizes the value of the team to the city and has had several conferences with baseball officials the last few days.

BILL JACKSON FAVORED

Inquiry among several well known fans brings to light that Bill Jackson is the most popular fellow in the city when the matter of a new owner is discussed. He has the backing of several business men who are ready to furnish the necessary wherewith and only the failure of Bill and the present group to agree on a price will keep him out of control.

At various times a syndicate of Waukegan men have been mentioned as prospective buyers but it is very doubtful that the Association of Commerce and other interested parties would allow the club to go out of Peoria control. It was started by Peorians and the feeling here is that it should remain as the property of Peoria citizens.

MEET TOMORROW

Tomorrow night is the time of the scheduled meeting at which time all propositions from prospective buyers are to be received and passed upon.

While it has been said that the club was in debt to the extent of $7,000 it is claimed that the assets equal that much more and that it would be possible to start the 1925 campaign with a clean slate.

There is more baseball talk here at the present time than in any previous winter since the fans plan of ownership was put into effect.

The fans are on their toes and should Bill Jackson get the club and have a winner Peoria should set a new attendance record for the city.

BEING LEADING PITCHER JINX

Uhle and Luque Are Examples—Grow Careless?

New York Dec 13—Leading the majors in pitching seems to be a jinx that plays havoc with a twirler's showing the following season.

It is the history of baseball that leading pitchers seldom repeat. In a great many cases the next season is a disastrous one.

Uhle and Luque

Take the cases of George Uhle and Adolf Luque. They led the American and National respectively in 1923. Last season was a decidedly tough one for both of them.

Just why this should be the case is difficult of explanation. The general belief is that most pitchers are inclined to grow careless after a big year.

When a pitcher is winning he must be physically fit get much assistance from his teammates and be favored with the breaks.

Sometimes after a big year a pitcher is content to try to get by on his reputation with a resultant lack of condition.

The Psychology.

Then there is the matter of psychology. Emotions play their part in pitching success. The pitcher who is making a reputation is keyed up to his part. The pitcher who has won fame appears satisfied to rest on his laurels takes too much for granted.

Now that the world series is over and Walter Johnson emerged the hero after a poor start I am going to print the confessions of the great Walter as to why he first failed.

In the opening clash in which Johnson was defeated after 12 innings of batting it was apparent to me that something was wrong with him. He was not working smoothly.

Ordinarily a pitcher who performs with almost machine like precision Johnson appeared very nervous. He would adjust his cap after almost every pitch hitch up his trousers rub his hands in the dirt on every other ball pitched.

Usually a fast worker Johnson slowed up in his style so that he was almost dilatory. Incidentally he was much wilder in that first game than I had ever seen him.

Despite the fact that he struck out a dozen Giants and it took 12 innings to beat him he was far from being the Walter Johnson I have known for years.

Stage Fright.

"I was just plain stage fright," said Walter to me after the series. "I'll bet no rookie making his big league debut ever felt more nervous than I did in that first game. The mental hazard of what the fans expected of me was ever present. I wasn't natural."

That sounded rather funny coming from a pitcher who had faced hundreds of tougher spots than the opening game of a world series without having the slightest emotions.

"It was entirely different in the last game of the series," continued Walter. "After having been beaten twice then getting an opportunity to deliver after I believed the series was over as far as I was concerned the deciding battle was just a ball game to me."

Never Worried

"Although in trouble in every one of the last four innings I worked, there never was a time that I was worried.

"I know it looked bad after Frisch tripled with only one out but I felt sure I could get the next two men.

"In the first game I was never sure of myself. In the last game I always felt that the Giants were going to be beaten after we once tied the score."

Proving that the stars have their emotions, that a mental hazard can break down supposedly invincible pitching power.

MAROA DEFEATS WELDON CAGERS

Weldon Dec 13—Maroa high school's basketball team defeated Weldon high here Saturday evening by playing superior basketball in the last period of the game. For the first three periods the teams were about equal with Weldon threatening to cop the victory. Then Maroa forged ahead. Weldon's attempted last minute rally failed and the visitors won. Bolen led the scoring for Maroa while Peacock was a star for Weldon.

THE SUMMARY

Maroa—		FT	TP
Polen forward	[illegible]		
Rogers forward	[illegible]		
Crip forward	[illegible]		
Schultz center	[illegible]		
Bowden guard	[illegible]		
Kammermeyer guard	[illegible]		
Totals			[illegible]
Weldon—			
Edwards forward	[illegible]		
Merrideth forward	0		
Tilbur forward	[illegible]		
Peacock center	[illegible]		
[illegible] guard	[illegible]		
Kenser guard	0		
Totals	[illegible]	4	14

Referee—M [illegible]

SULLIVAN IN TWO GAMES THIS WEEK

Sullivan Ill Dec 13—The Sullivan high school basketball team tasted its first defeat at the hands of Windsor Friday night is no downcast. The team claims the game was anyones game until the final whistle and are determined to even up the count when the two teams meet again later in the year.

Sullivan meets Findlay and Arthur this week Findlay on Wednesday and Arthur on Friday evening.

TUSCOLA SCHEDULE FOR SEASON GIVEN

Tuscola Dec 13—Tuscola's basketball schedule for the season has been announced and the local team with a victory over [illegible] has already started off on a good season. Some good games are to be played by the quintet this year as following list indicates:

Dec 19—Newman at Tuscola
Jan 9—Atwood at Tuscola
Jan 14—Arcola at Arcola
Jan 16—Monticello at Monticello
Jan 23—Bement at Bement
Jan 30—Villa Grove at Tuscola
Jan 31—Champaign at Tuscola
Feb 5-7—County Tournament at Arcola
Feb 13—Monticello at Tuscola
Feb 20—Villa Grove at Villa Grove
Feb 27—Arcola at Tuscola

New Prep League Will Benefit all Members

Good Points Outweigh Bad—Decatur Plays Danville Next Year.

BY CORKY LEWIS

[illegible]

VANDALIA PREPMEN WIN OVER NOKOMIS

[illegible]

ILLINOIS WINS FROM DE PAUW

Ruby's Cagers Take Long End of 27-23 Score.

[illegible]

SHELBY LOSES TO PANA CAGE FIVE

Hard Battle, 16 to 15—Seconds Win.

(Special)

Shelbyville Dec 13—Playing in midseason form Pana and Shelbyville fought one of the hardest basketball battles on the list here Saturday evening with Pana finally winning 16 to 15. The game although hard fought was cleanly played. Both quintets displayed fine ability in handling the ball.

At the half the score stood 8 to 8. In the final minute of play with the score 16 to 15 Shelbyville missed two free throws while the crowd watched [illegible].

150 FROM PANA

A crowd of about 150 rooters from Pana [illegible] cheering section in the well [illegible] gymnasium while not only Shelbyville people but those from surrounding towns filled the remainder of the [illegible].

In a curtain raiser the Shelbyville seconds defeated the Pana seconds by a score of 11 to 13 in a game that was almost as exciting as the big attraction of the evening.

[illegible] of Decatur was an interested spectator.

THE SUMMARY

[illegible]

SHOCKER WILL GO TO YANKEE CLUB

[illegible]

LINCOLN HAS LONG BASKETBALL CHART

[illegible]

NOTRE DAME IS 27-26 WINNER

[illegible]

WIDOW IS UNDER LARCENY CHARGE

[illegible]

Saturday Basketball.

Maroa 19 Weldon 14
Warrensburg 25 Macon 5
Pana 16 Shelbyville 15
Shelby Seconds 11 Pana Seconds [illegible]

FAST GAMES IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Three Teams Tied in "Y" Tourney.

Junior Church League [illegible]

Team—	Won	Lost	Pct
[illegible]	[illegible]	0	1000
Westminster	2	0	1000
Grace M. E.	1	0	1000
First Congregational	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Church of God	[illegible]	1	[illegible]
First Presbyterian	0	1	[illegible]
C. C. C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	000
First Baptist	0	1	000

Westminster won from Church of God 18 to 6 and Grace Methodist defeated First Presbyterian 14 to 10 in Junior Church league games on the Y M C A floor Saturday afternoon. First Methodist and First Congregational won on forfeits.

Jean and Hott featured the play of Westminster while James and Bobb showed best for the Church of God in the first contest. The First Presbyterian five put up a game comeback in the second half against Grace M E but the Methodists four point lead at the half proved sufficient. Art Hill was high point man for the winners with three field goals.

The summary:

Westminster—	FG	FT	TP
White forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lindsey forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Simcox forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Larson forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calhoun forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hott center	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hill center	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
Zimmer guard	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] guard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] guard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Smith guard	0	[illegible]	0
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	11
Church of God—			
Bobb forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	4
James forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
Moffit center	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shelton guard	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
[illegible] guard	0	0	0
Cutliff guard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	6
Grace M. E.—	FG	FT	TP
Merriman forward	0	0	[illegible]
Petty forward	0	[illegible]	0
Buck forward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stouffer forward	0	[illegible]	0
Coyd forward	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fesler center	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hill center	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wells guard	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beadles guard	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
Brinkley guard	0	[illegible]	1
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	14
First Presbyterians—	FG	FT	TP
Post forward	0	1	[illegible]
Hays forward	[illegible]	0	4
Lepler center	1	1	3
Nicholson guard	0	0	0
Needham guard	1	[illegible]	2
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	10

PAWNS $10 BILL FOR $9; IS GOOD

Wichita Kas Dec 13—A Wichita man pawned a ten dollar bank note for $9.

S Gerson owner of the shop told police [illegible] when it [illegible] the bill was presented to him. He said he needed some money but didn't want to give up [illegible] the bill by spending it so he pawned it for thirty days.

Police said the bill was genuine.

BLUE RIDGE MTS. TO HAVE U. S. PARK

Washington Dec 13—Selection of the Blue Ridge of Virginia as the site for the first great national park of the East was announced today by Secretary Work of the Interior Department who proposed that it be established and named the Shenandoah National Park. The region was declared the most desirable because of its scenic and recreational qualities and because it is within a day's travel of more than 40,000,000 people.

ARCOLA TEAM LOSES TO HINDSBORO FIVE

Hindsboro Dec 13—Hindsboro defeated Arcola here Friday evening by a score of 13 to 11. At the half the count stood 9 to 2 for the locals but during the last frame the Arcola team gained a lead. Hindsboro rallied and then held the visitors.

The summary:

Hindsboro—	FG	FT	TP
Moss forward	1	0	[illegible]
Kraut forward	[illegible]	0	[illegible]
Clapp center	3	1	[illegible]
Target guard	0	0	0
Strader guard	1	0	2
Hemmingway guard	0	0	0
Totals	[illegible]	1	13
Arcola—	FG	FT	TP
Finsgeld forward	1	0	2
Bogue forward	2	0	4
Monahan center	0	2	2
Tins guard	1	0	2
Pollock guard	0	1	1
Totals	[illegible]	3	11

Referee—Leagh of Paris.

BOWLING

WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday 7 p m—Drags vs Red Balls, Extras vs [illegible]; 9 p m—High Balls vs [illegible], Manifests vs Green Balls.

Tuesday 7 p m—Yanks vs Wonders; One shift open; 9 p m—Sparks vs Pirates. One shift open.

Wednesday 7 p m—Woolpeckers vs Kant Beat Ums, Out to Win vs Stay With Ums; 9 p m—Staleys vs Wallenders, Fairies vs Union Iron Works.

Thursday 7 p m—Flag Tires vs Wabash, Spell Pops vs Speed Boys; 9 p m—All Stars vs Armours, Southpaws vs Pickups.

Friday 7:30 p m—Knockers vs Boosters; Western Electrics 9:30—Alleys reserved.

HANDICAP LEAGUE

Teams—	W	L	Pct	Ave	HG
Southpaws	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	946
All Stars	22	14	[illegible]	891	1015
Wabash	19	[illegible]	528	814	1005
Pickups	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	444	871
Speed Boys	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	444	947
Flag Tires	[illegible]	20	444	[illegible]	929
Armours	[illegible]	20	444	[illegible]	918
Shulke Pops	[illegible]	[illegible]	417	805	932

TEN HIGH PLAYERS

Players—Team	G	Ave	HG
[illegible] All Stars	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Osbert All Stars	[illegible]	181	250
A. Dombroski Speed Boys	[illegible]	[illegible]	234
Frahman All Stars	[illegible]	[illegible]	219
Hopkins Flag Tires	33	[illegible]	232
O. Dombroski Shulke Pops	[illegible]	[illegible]	246
McIntyre All Stars	30	[illegible]	244
Friggs Armours	[illegible]	170	257
Kosleck Southpaws	33	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lukes, Pickups	30	[illegible]	226

C D A LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	Ave
Stay With Ums	[illegible]	9	[illegible]	482
Out to Win	21	9	[illegible]	469
Kant Beat Ums	[illegible]	21	[illegible]	418
Woolpeckers	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	412

WABASH LEAGUE

Team—	W	L	Pct	Ave	HG
Drags	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	850
High Balls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	912
Red Balls	[illegible]	[illegible]	18	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manifests	[illegible]	[illegible]	19	[illegible]	800
Extras	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	457	870
Green Balls	[illegible]	18	[illegible]	[illegible]	854
Fairies	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	930
Locals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	410	887

TEN HIGH PLAYERS

Player—Team	G	Ave	HG
Irey Manifests	[illegible]	168	201
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corrigan [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hays High Balls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stringham Extras	[illegible]	[illegible]	214
[illegible] High Balls	3	[illegible]	210
Walker Drags	30	161	207
Alderson Red Balls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dooley Green Balls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lontz Manifests	[illegible]	[illegible]	223

K C LEAGUE

Teams—	W	L	Pct	Ave	HG
Yanks	[illegible]	14	[illegible]	718	[illegible]
Cubs	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ramblers	18	18	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pirates	17	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sparks	17	19	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wonders	14	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TEN HIGH PLAYERS

Players—	G	Ave	HG
W. Doherty Ramblers	24	[illegible]	214
J. Butler Yanks	36	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. Call [illegible] Pirates	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jack Moriarity Ramblers	[illegible]	[illegible]	231
I. Connors Cubs	27	[illegible]	202
T. Taylor Pirates	32	[illegible]	190
J. Boland Yanks	[illegible]	[illegible]	240
Jim Moriarity Sparks	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
D. Lorenz Cubs	[illegible]	148	200
Al Irewcke Jr Wonders	12	149	[illegible]
T. Corrigan Ramblers	[illegible]	145	190

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Teams—	W	L	Pct	Ave
Union Iron Works	6	[illegible]	[illegible]	778
Wallenders	5	4	[illegible]	688
Staleys	4	5	444	[illegible]
Fairies	3	[illegible]	33	[illegible]

TEN HIGH PLAYERS

Players—Team	G	Ave
A. Dombroski Union Iron	9	[illegible]
C. Trix Union Iron	6	[illegible]
A. Augustine Union Iron	9	[illegible]
W. Beck Wallenders	[illegible]	[illegible]
A. Scharen Union Iron	[illegible]	[illegible]
F. Black Union Iron	[illegible]	[illegible]
Driggs Wallenders	[illegible]	[illegible]
Poel Fairies	[illegible]	[illegible]
G. Malino Fairies	[illegible]	147
W. Brix Wallenders	9	144

WABASH DEFEATS IOWA, 28 TO 24

Iowa City Ia Dec 13—The Wabash college five made up for its defeat by Wisconsin last night by outplaying the Hawkeye quintet here tonight 28 to 24.

CHICAGO BEARS ARE PRO CHAMPS

Philadelphia Dec 13—The Chicago Bears football team today won the national professional title by defeating the Frankford Yellow Jackets here, 13 to 10.

WARRENSBURG IS WINNER IN GAME

Warrensburg Dec 13—After a hectic first half which ended 6 to 4 for the locals Warrensburg's basketball team got its scoring combination working and defeated Macon 25 to 5. The locals were over confident during the first half and Macon showed unusual strength however in the last two quarters the local tossers improved and outdistanced their opponents.

THE SUMMARY

Warrensburg—	FG	FT	TP
Slonaker forward	3	4	10
Hall forward	2	1	[illegible]
Oakes center	2	0	4
Schroeder guard	2		4
Jones guard	0	0	0
Totals	9		25
Macon—	FG	FT	TP
Lamaster forward	1	0	2
Carroll forward	0	1	1
Copple center	0	0	0
Palmer, center	0	0	0
Conde guard	0	0	0
White guard	1	0	2
Hilvety guard	0	0	0
Totals	2	1	5

Referee—Winegarner of Normal

CAGE TOURNEY FOR JUNIOR QUINTETS

Clinton Dec 13—Plans for the second annual Junior Independent Invitation tournament are going forward and the date set for Jan 3 according to announcement by the Clinton Minims. It is quite probable that the tournament will be managed by the officials of the Y M C A and it will be carried out in that building. Last year the games were played at the Clinton Community High school building at Wapella but it will be held in this city in order that more home folks may attend.

Ten teams have been invited to participate including the Minims the others to be the Indians of Maroa Jeffreson Parks, El Paso The Reviews and the Y M C A Decatur Orphans Home Lincoln Specials of Bloomington and the Freshmen of Wapella two other teams not yet having accepted the invitation.

REELECT PFEIL

Chicago Dec 13—(AP)—The spreading of golf to every hamlet was the keynote at the annual meeting tonight of the Western Golf association which re-elected President Charles O Pfeil of Memphis for the third time and reinstated most of the other officers.

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Macon County Makes Start Paving Roads

Big Problem Is New Bond Routes That Can Be Improved At State Expense.

BY E. T. COLEMAN

The board of supervisors of Macon county is to be commended for launching the county paving of highways at the December meeting. All that has been the matter with Macon county is that it has never got the paving habit but the act of the board last week breaks the ice and starts the work. Everybody recognizes that the paving of the stubends of roads which will connect villages with the state road is important. These pieces of road that it is planned to pave are part of state aid roads which are under county [illegible] ... stenan ...

[illegible] aid road committee has the [illegible] and very properly wishes [illegible] the villages at a [illegible] ... Harr [illegible] ... Ie [illegible] ... improvements ... state bond issue roads in the county [illegible] ... ded

THE BIG JOB

The biggest project of last night the building of the sixty [illegible] miles of state bond issue ... by county initiative was discussed somewhat in open meeting of the board and by individual members outside. It is recognized that it is of infinitely greater immediate importance that Argenta, Warrensburg, Blue Mound and Mt. Zion ... have roads that [illegible] ... that the short gaps that now separate villages that are not [illegible] hard roads ... be bridged. In the ordinary course of events this new system into the county will not be completed for ten years and some of it may never be built.

If the county [illegible] ... be finished within ... five years ... [illegible] ... The question is ... delivery ... advancing the freight ... [illegible]

CALLS FOR FUNDS

It was [illegible] ... [illegible] ... special road tax or a bond issue will have to wait two years to be submitted to voters at a general election.

This does not have to be submitted at a general election. The state has been at considerable pains to make it easy for counties to get into this game. A number of laws and amendments have been enacted to this end.

THE LAW

Section 12 ... Powers of County Boards—Special ... Tax — Bond Issue—Special Election.

"The several county boards in counties of this state ... are hereby vested with the same powers for constructing, repairing and maintaining roads in their several counties as the commissioners of highways acting severally or together or with the several county superintendents of highways according to the provisions of this act. Provided, however, that the raising of a special road tax or of issuing bonds for the purpose set forth in this act shall first be submitted to the legal voters in said county at any regular election for county officers or at a special election which the county board is authorized to call for this purpose on the petition of land owners who are legal voters in said county, to the county clerk previous to time for posting notices of a regular or special election. Said petition and notice if for a special tax shall designate the road or roads to be improved, the annual rate not exceeding thirty-three and one third cents on each $100 of assessed value, the number of years not exceeding five for which said road tax shall be levied and said petition and notices if for the issue of bonds shall designate the amount of bonds to be issued, the rate of interest thereon and the number of annual series thereof not less than five or more than twenty from the date of issue.

THE REFUND

The refund to counties is provided for under another law.

Section 10 of State Bond Issue Road Law reads: Whenever one of the above described roads (state bond issue routes) runs through or into a county over a paved road that has been constructed by such county and [illegible] jointly or such county alone and [illegible] by the state, then in such case said Department of Public Works and Buildings shall if such paved road is of proper, durable, hard surfaced type to make it practicable to so utilize such paved road in said ... system of roads. If said Department of Public Works and Buildings does utilize and make such paved road of a county part of the state wide system of roads then and in that case the actual cost of said paved road shall be determined in the manner herein after provided for and an amount of money equivalent to the share of such cost as was paid by such county shall be set apart and allotted by said department to such county to be used at the option of such county either in the payment of any county bonds issued by said county or in the improving of any ... of its improved or unimproved state aid roads."

THE CHAMPAIGN ISSUE

The huge road bond issue of Champaign county was voted at a special election and the election was called at a special meeting of the board. These are two outstanding and important facts. In evidence of these read the call:

"The board of supervisors of Champaign county, Illinois, at a special meeting held January 12 1923 which was adjourned from a meeting held Dec 6 1922, adopted by a vote of 29 to 5 a resolution which provides in substance:

"That $2 500 000 shall be raised by issuing county bonds for the purpose of constructing permanent roads in the county along the highways marked with heavy black lines on map.

"The question of issuing such county bonds shall be submitted to the legal voters of said county at a special election to be held Feb 27 1 ...

"That said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum.

"4 That the amount of said bonds shall be divided into twenty equal installments."

HALF ROADS BUILT

The rest of the call deals with details which are of no immediate interest to us. The bond issue was adopted by this county and half of the roads were built in 1923 and 1924. The remainder probably will be completed in 192[illegible]. When the bond issue was adopted there was no assurance that Champaign county would be refunded more than half of the money advanced for this county's system of paved roads. Since that time the hundred million dollars state bond issue system has been adopted giving that county more than fifty miles of additional state bond issue road most of which is laid down on the county bond issue system. The entire cost of this road will be refunded to the county and half the cost of the remaining 121 miles of state aid road making a total of more than a million and a half dollars.

MUST STAY ON RIGHT SIDE ROAD

Judge Sets Aside Verdict for Damages.

The highway is yours if you are on the right hand side of the black stripe that marks the middle of the road but the responsibility is yours if something happens when you are on the wrong side according to the ruling of Judge John Marshall of Paris. Judge Marshall set aside a verdict for $7 000 damages awarded by a jury in favor of Winfield R. DuBreuil of Evansville Ind against Edward L. Klein of Chicago.

The verdict was set aside because the evidence showed clearly that DeBreuil was on the wrong side of the black line when he was struck. There will be a new trial and it is said that a change of venue will be asked.

This decision is of tremendous importance and it should be born upon the mind of every driver of a vehicle upon the public highway. When two cars are approaching a more slowly moving vehicle from opposite directions it is up to the driver who must turn to the left hand side to look out. If he should collide with the opposing car while on the left hand side the blame is his.

TO EXTEND GRAVEL WEST OF BLUE MOUND

Preparations are being made for extending the gravel on the road west of Blue Mound in Christian county. Luther Nicholls who owns one of the mounds which gave Blue Mound its name has been busy for several days with arrangements for mining and loading the gravel. He is installing scales to weigh the loads. A cubic yard of sand weighs 2800 pounds while a yard of gravel is 200 pounds lighter.

The gravel will be hauled from the mound to the road by farmers. It is stated that the gravel is to be extended one and a half miles, about the same length of road west from Blue Mound being already graveled. Later the north and south road will be graveled to Stonington.

OLD SALEM ROAD BY SPECIAL FUND

Cost Does Not Come Out of State Bond Issue.

Publicity has been given to the fact that the state road leading from the town of Petersburg in Menard county to Old Salem State park is under construction. This announcement has caused a good many people to wonder by what authority this road is being built. It is not one of the sixty million dollar bond issue roads and it is one of the new series of bond issue roads which can't be let till all of the old ones are under contract.

This piece of road is only about two miles in length. It is part of new state bond issue route No 123 which leads from Petersburg in a southwesterly direction to Ashland where it joins Route 3. But the two mile section leading from Petersburg to the state park is not being built as a bond issue road and the cost does not come out of the state bond issue fund.

SPECIAL FUND.

It is being paved by a special appropriation by the state legislature for this purpose. There were several attempts to let the road before a bid that was inside the amount appropriated. It was finally let and the construction is now under way.

New Route 123 extends from Route 3 at Ashland in a northeasterly direction through Tallula and Old Salem park to Petersburg where it will join Route 43 A. This is a spur seven miles long leading from Petersburg to Route 24, the Springfield Peoria road.

STATE PREPARES FOR ROAD BIDS

Next Big Letting Will Be Wednesday.

The officers of the division of highways in Springfield are now exceptionally busy getting ready for more lettings of state bond issue routes. The offices are on the sixth floor of the south wing of the state house, in the very top of the capitol building. The offices of this department were moved from pillar to post to find room for them as the department waxed in importance.

Finally space for a permanent home was found in this attic of the state house where they are served by a separate elevator. This space is already crowded with engineers, draftsmen, clerks and other employes. They at least have the advantage of not being under foot and they are not crowded by anybody but those who belong there.

BUSIEST OFFICES

The offices of the division of highways are without doubt the busiest offices in the capitol building, possibly the busiest offices in Illinois. Employes don't have a thing to do but work. They have no time for politics or social amenities.

The next letting of bond issue roads is set for Dec. 17. There are no other lettings scheduled. There will be other lettings this winter but probably none before the first of the year. There were 1300 miles of the original bond issue route to build when the second bond issue was authorized. The December letting will dispose of about half of that. The rest of it that it is practicable to let will be disposed of before the new program can be taken up.

BIG JOB

It is a big job to prepare even a single section of state bond issue road for letting. First reconnoisance surveys are made. Then the location is decided upon. Usually there is a public hearing on this and not infrequently prolonged disputes and legal proceedings ensue. When this is all settled right of way must be secured.

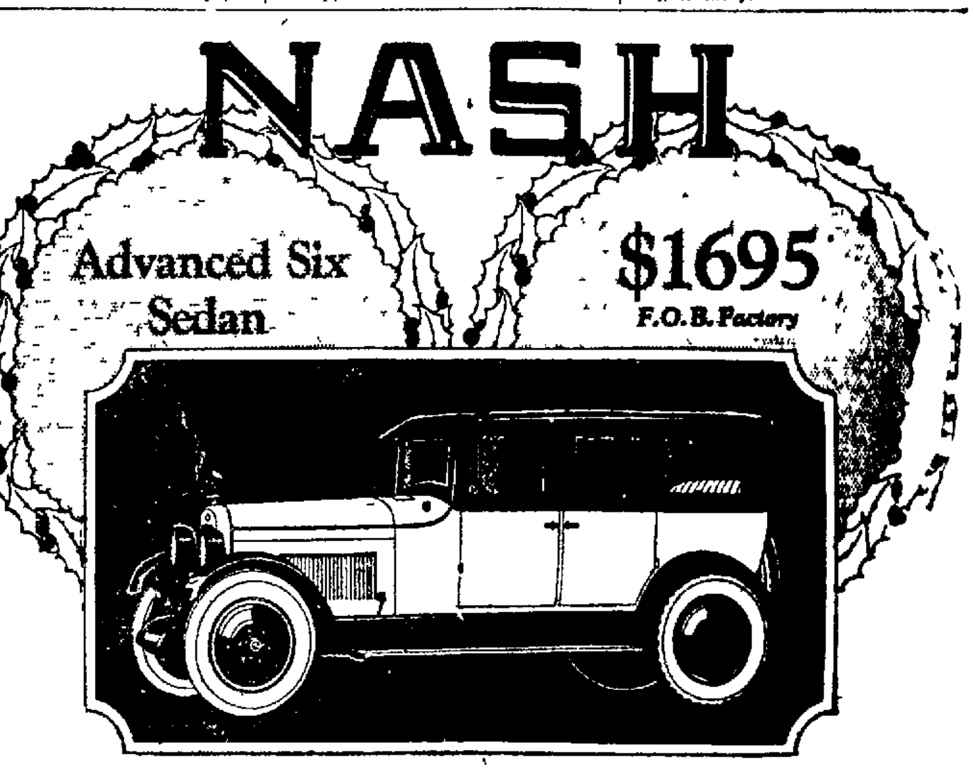
Plats and measurements of every acre even square rod of land that must be secured from each property owner are made. The right of way must be obtained by the local communities—counties, townships or neighborhoods. This may require weeks or months or even years but it must be done before contracts can be let.

INFINITE DETAIL

The engineering work which includes the final surveys, plans and specifications is a matter of infinite detail. This is largely in the hands of the district engineers. The state is divided into nine districts. Estimates of unit costs must be made of grading, cuts, fills, culverts, bridges, concrete slab, shoulders, farm entrances, guard fences, etc etc. There is nothing left to chance.

When this is all done bids are asked for. Contractors not only prepare bids upon a job as a whole but their bids must show unit prices. If there is a discrepancy between lump bids and the total of unit prices it is unit prices that govern.

It takes much time to check these bids after they are publicly read and the apparent low bidders have been determined. The ability of bidders to carry out their contracts is determined. The low bidder must show that he has the equipment and the money or credit to carry out a job. He must give bond for its completion. And when the low man does all this he gets the job.



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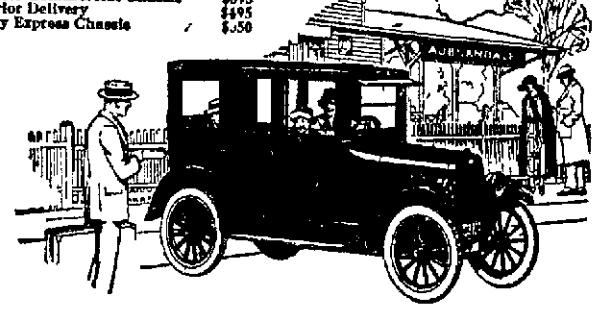

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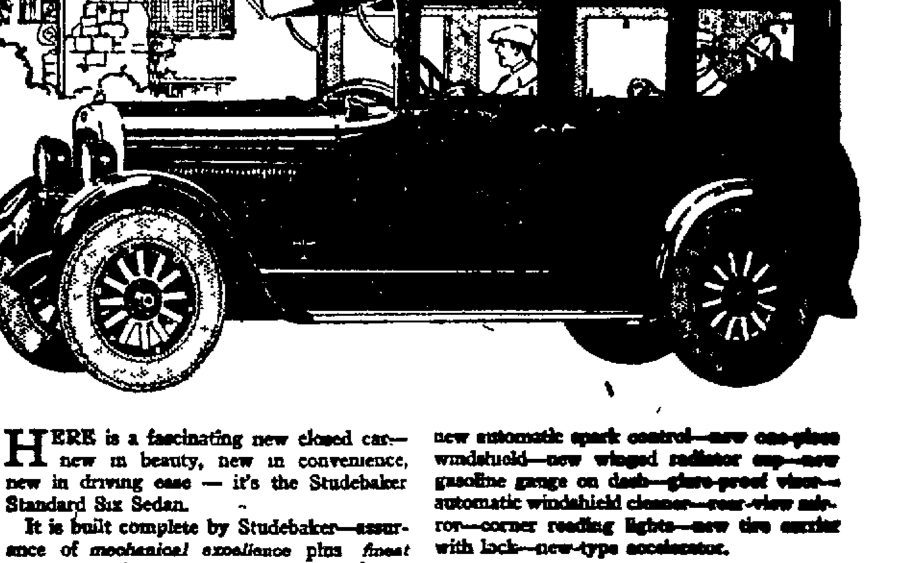

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Roads and Road Work

By E. T. COLEMAN.

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New Road Guard.

A new [illegible] metal guard was [illegible] at the west turn [illegible] at Illiopolis. The new guard ought to hold east bound motorists who [illegible] to make the turn [illegible]. The old wire guard at [illegible] said to have been worn out.

Kentucky Against Roads.

Kentucky voted down a seventy-[illegible] dollar road bond proposition at the November election. It [illegible] a few votes but it lost none the less effectively, much to the regret of us Illinoisans who have to drive over Kentucky roads occasionally. Kentucky is the bad lands lying between Illinois and Florida.

The tell you in Kentucky that the adverse vote on the proposition was not due to fear of a road bond issue but to distrust of the method of handling the funds after the bonds were issued and sold.

Last Detour Bulletin.

The last detour bulletin for the season was sent out by the Division of Highways Saturday. The road construction season is closed and the next bulletin will be published May 1. If before that time you are in need of information about any particular state bond issue route, inquire of The Review, the Decatur Motor club or some other equally good source of information—if there is any other as good.

MISSOURI VOTES FOR HARD ROADS

Will Tax Gasoline and Sell Bonds.

[illegible] Missouri took an [illegible] state road proposal [illegible]. What was known as [illegible] No. 3 was overwhelm[illegible] at the polls. The proposal [illegible] to the voters at [illegible] road bond [illegible].

[illegible] which was [illegible] a tax of 2 cents a gallon [illegible] sold for motor [illegible] which we are [illegible] in Illinois but [illegible] have it [illegible] a 50 per cent increase [illegible] vehicle licenses.

SELL ROAD BONDS.

[illegible] state highway authorities are permitted to increase the [illegible] road bonds to $15,000,000 a year [illegible] original law it was [illegible] to $[illegible] a year. With this [illegible] Missouri proposes to [illegible] miles of road a year, until the bond issue fund is exhausted. This means that the primary system and part of the secondary system will be completed within the next two or three years and that the Pikes Peak-Ocean to Ocean Highway across the state, 192 miles, will be finished by the end of 1926. May be by that time we will have finished it in Illinois.

Missouri is building state roads of [illegible] types as follows: concrete, brick, gravel, bituminous macadam and earth. This makes a Missouri construction progress map about as easy to read as the inscription on the sarcophagus of an Egyptian king.

CHAMPAIGN WOMAN DIES SATURDAY

Former Villa Grove Resident To Be Buried Here.

Villa Grove, Dec. 13—Mrs. E. E. Gibson, former resident of this place, died at her home in Champaign Saturday afternoon. She had been ill since last Monday with a form of throat trouble. Funeral services will be held at [illegible] Monday morning at the home and the body will be brought to Villa Grove for burial.

Mrs. Gibson leaves her husband, a C. and E. I. conductor, and a daughter by a former marriage, Miss Ruth Hinter. The family moved to Villa Grove from Sheldon about fifteen years ago and last fall removed to Champaign in order that the daughter might continue her studies at the University of Illinois where she is a sophomore. Mrs. Gibson was in the Millinery business here.

TO GIVE PAGEANT AT FIRST BAPTIST

Cast of Twenty to Appear Christmas Eve.

A cast of twenty young people of the Sunday school of the First Baptist church will give a pageant Christmas eve at 7:30. The young people will be assisted by a junior and senior chorus in presenting the "Adoration Pageant."

Characters are:

Reader—Miss Mildred Krigbaum.
Madonna—Mrs. W. C. Gillespie.
Leader of Gift Bearers—Miss Lucile Brown.
Angels—Mary Emma Marsh, Fletta Davis, Louise Merry.
Wise Men—E. H. Walworth, W. F. Allen, R. H. Gibson.
Shepherds—Ben Hastings, Harvey Bryan, Ted England.
Torch bearer—Robert Willis.
Soloist—Mrs. Lee Pigott.
Gift Bearers—Elsie Parker, Margaret Wall, Florence Davis, Dorothy Chesbro, Consuella Cummins, Mrs. Lee Pigott, Miss Rinnie Bean.

MRS. M. RUTLEDGE EXPIRES IN MAROA

Maroa, Dec. 13—Mrs. Margaret Rutledge, one of the pioneer residents of Macon county, and for many years residing in this city, died Friday afternoon at 2:20 o'clock following a long illness. Mrs. Rutledge died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Huff.

Margaret Ferrell was born in Muskegon county, Ohio, Feb. 21, 1840, where she lived until her marriage to Thomas E. Rutledge in 1859. Leaving Ohio they moved to Missouri where they resided for one year and then came to Macon county. For many years they resided on farms in the vicinity of Maroa, and later moved to the city, where Mr. Rutledge died several years ago.

Mrs. Rutledge is survived by one son, Edward, of Blairsburg, Iowa, who arrived here a few days before her death, and one daughter, Mrs. M. E. Huff of Maroa.

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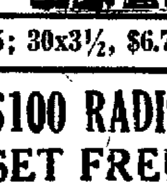

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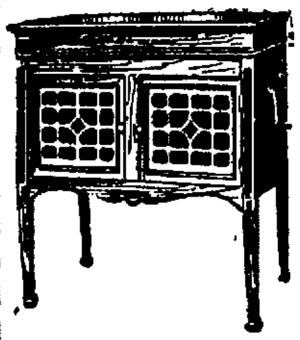

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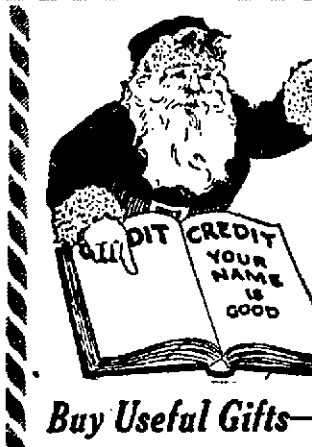

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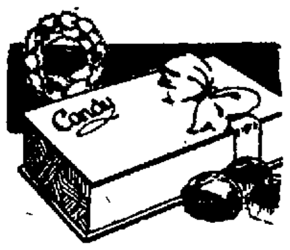

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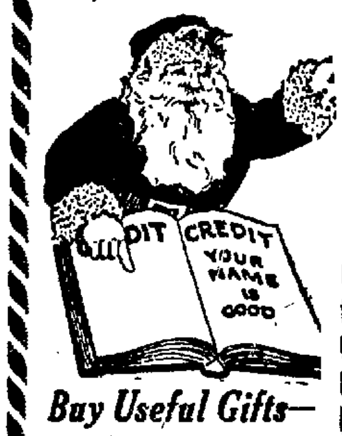

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JAN. 2 IS DATE FOR POSTPONED GARDEN CONCERT

Announcement has been made by Mary Garden's concert manager that the famous prima donna will sing her postponed concert in the Springfield armory, the night of Jan. 2. And this will be her only concert this season, according to present plans.

The manager states that Mary Garden is not going to feel well enough to make an extensive tour this winter and that following the close of the Chicago, she will sail at once for France.

Those who bought tickets will be glad to know that the tickets sold for the original date will be good for the January one.

Helpful to Organists.

"Worship" is the theme of a pamphlet issued by Dr William P. Merrill pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church of New York City. He takes friendly council with organists who strive to get the better type of music.

This pastor points out that church music should be fitting but devoid of too bizarre aptness, citing an occasion when a preacher's sermon had been on the theme of The Prodigal Returns and the organist gave for prelude "When Johnny Comes Marching Home."

This pamphlet has been issued by the National Bureau for the Advancement of Music, 45 West 45th street, New York.

Every church organist should get one.

VALUE IN BANDS.

A national school of the military band, developing slowly into a national school of all the musical arts, is the idea advanced by Frederick Stock of Chicago, as a good means for improving musical conditions in America.

"The time will come," he says in an interview printed in Musical America, "when every community will have a good band of its own."

OPERA SCHEDULE HAS NOVELTIES

The week's grand operas scheduled for the Auditorium in Chicago follow:

Sunday Matinee, Dec 14—"The Juggler of Notre Dame," first time this season, with Mary Garden.

Monday Night—"Aida" for the fourth time, with Raisa and Marshall.

Tuesday Night—"The Love of the Three Kings," Garden, Swarthout, Baklanoff and Ansseau.

Wednesday Night—"Tosca" fourth performance. Muzio Piccaver and Baklanoff.

Thursday Night—"Thais" Garden.

Friday Night—A novelty in Auber's "Fra Diavolo," to be sung with Edith Mason and Titta Schipa in the leading roles.

Saturday Matinee—"The Jewess," Raisa and Marshall.

Saturday Night—"The Pearl Fishers" Pareto and Hackett.

Christmas Carrolling.

Christmas carols were sung in only thirty American cities in 1918. Last year 2,625 community sings were held at Christmas time throughout the United States. There will be more this year. Some communities will have parades and floats presenting tableaux and pantomimes.

New American Opera.

"Fay-Yen-Fah" is the name of a new opera by two Americans to be produced at Monte Carlo in February. The book is a Chinese story, written by Joseph Redding. The music is by Templeton Crocker. Fanny Heldy will sing the principal role.

Chaliapin, Heifetz, Hail.

Two Russian songs by Feodor Chaliapin are in the week's releases of new records, along with two violin numbers by Jascha Heifetz and two clever foolishnesses by Wendell Hall.

Today's Music in the Churches

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST.
MORNING
Prelude—"Largo" (Chopin)
Offertory—"Venetian Barcarolle," (Mendelssohn)
Anthem—"Heaven is not Far Away" (Schenker)
Postlude—"Postlude in D" (Weber).
EVENING
Prelude—"Liebestied," (Henselt).
Offertory—Andantino" (Chopin).
Anthem—"Come to Our Health and Abide" (West).
Postlude—"March Pontificale" (Hemmens).

FIRST METHODIST.
MORNING.
Prelude—"The Bells of Aberdovey," (Stewart).
Anthem—"Some Sweet Day" (Speaks)
Offertory solo—"How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," (Harker)—Mrs. Helen Rigg Pound.
Postlude—"Alleluia" (Dubois).
EVENING
Special music by the H. W. Rodgers family orchestra.
"Largo," aria from "Xerxes" G. F. Handel).
"Stephanie" Op. 312 (A. Czibulka).
"Confidence" (F. Mendelssohn)
"Gavotte" from "Jocelyn" (Benjamin Godard).
Farewell to Cucullain," (Londonderry Air), (Fritz and Hugo Kreisler)
Anthem—"Shepherd, With Thy Tenderest Love" (Ambrose).
Offertory solo—"Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled" (Speaks), Horrace W. Bell
Postlude—"Grand Choeur," (Renard).

GRACE METHODIST.
MORNING.
Prelude—"Andantino in D" (St. Clair)
Anthem—"All Would Be Shine" (North)
Offertory solo—"Thy Will Be Done (Marston), Miss Jowelle Orr
Postlude—"Grand Choeur," (Remand)
EVENING.
Prelude—"Romance" (St. Clair).
Anthem—"Incline Your Ear" (Fields)
Offertory—"The Voice of Jesus" (Gow) quartet
Cornet solo—Harry Picknell.
Postlude—"Allegro Pomposo" (Hollaway)

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST
MORNING.
Prelude—"Flower Song" (Lange
Anthem—"Stand Up for Jesus"
Offertory—Realm of Dreams (Buck
Postlude—"Militaire" (Rockwell)
EVENING
Prelude—"Canterbury Bells, (Loeb-Evans)
Anthem—"Praise to The Lord" (Carrie B. Adams).
Offertory solo—"Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" (Knight), Gill Holt
Postlude—Sweet Eve and Bye

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Prelude—"Marche Religieuse (Guilmant) theme from Handel's "Messiah
Anthem—The Lord Is My Light (Old Speaks)
Offertory—"Reverie in A (William Faulkes)
Solo—"My Redeemer and My Lord Dudley Buck) Bernice Taylor Otto
Postlude—Marche Jubilante (Geoffrey Riley).
EVENING
Organ recital, 7:15 to 7:30
"Intermezzo" (Charles Gounod)
"Rustic Dance from "Pastoral Suite" (Demarest).
"Prelude in G Minor" (Dubois)
Anthem—"The Shadows of the Evening Hour" (Barri-Shelley)
Offertory—"The Image of the Virgin" (Schubert).
Duet—"My Heavenly Home" (Hawley) Mrs. A. A. Mertz, Elmer Lyons
Postlude—"Marche de Fete" (Lorenz)

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN.
MORNING.
(University Auditorium).
Prelude—"Hymne Angelique" (Fletcher)
Anthem—How Long Wilt Thou Forget Me (Speaks).
Offertory—"Joy to the World," (Handel)
EVENING
(In the Church)
Prelude—Romance," (Norris).
Anthem—"Rock of Ages," (D. Buck)
Offertory solo—"That Sweet Story of Old" Miss Helen Faircloth
Postlude—"The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn)

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN
MORNING
Prelude—Meditation," (Dubois)
Offertory—"Arabesque" (Bliss)
Anthem—"All Hail," (Jennings).
Postlude—"March" (Guilmant)
EVENING.
Prelude—"Intermezzo," (Delibes).
Offertory—"Allegro" (Hofmann)
Male quartet—Selected. Messrs. Welch, Bischof, Mapes and Gibson
Anthem—"Evening Prayer," (J. L. Harris)
Postlude—"Hosanna" (Wachs).

FIRST CHRISTIAN.
MORNING
Prelude—"Cantab" (Franck)
Offertory—"Andante Cantabile, (Tschaikowsky)
Anthem—"I've Found a Friend" (Bracket)
AFTERNOON.
Young people's Sunday school orchestra.
Male quartet—Selected
Solo—"Let There Be Peace" (Scott)

CONGREGATIONAL.
MORNING.
Prelude—"Reverie," (Baldwin).
Anthem—"The God of Abraham Praise" (Rogers).
Offertory—"He Shall Feed His Flock," (Handel), "Come Unto Me," Handel), Miss Mrs. Doris Lewman Gillespie.
EVENING.
Prelude—"Calm Is the Night" (Bohm).
Offertory—"The Swan," (Stebbins).
Male quartet—Selected.
Anthem—"There is a Land Beyond the Setting Sun" (Smieton).

PHILIP AND MRS. GOLLE P.E.
Postlude—"Postlude in F" (Guilmant).
EVENING.
Prelude—"Isle of Dreams" (Forsyne)
"Cello solo—"Melody in F" (Rubens)
Miss Virginia Andrews.
Offertory—"Prelude" (Gullmant)

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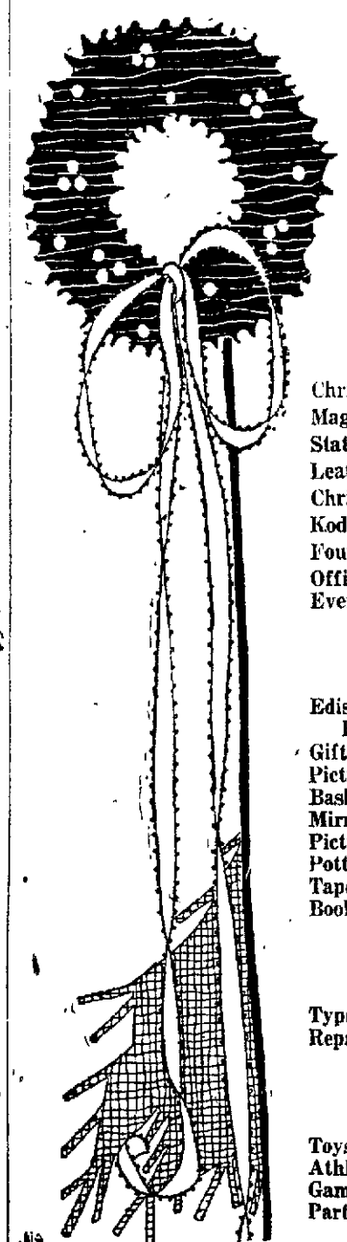

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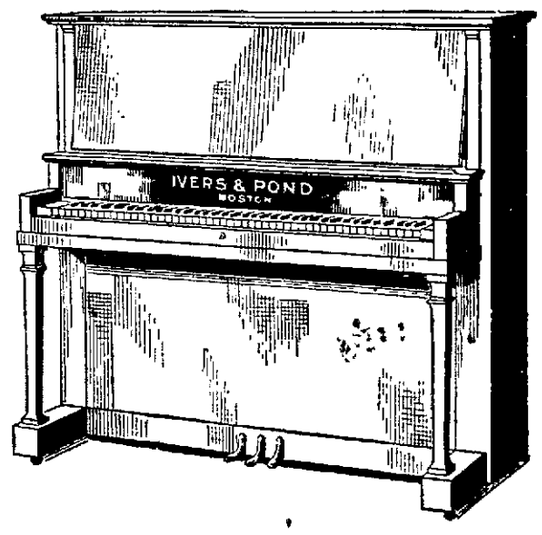

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U. of I. Experiments May Revolutionize all Radio

Trying To Eliminate Carrier Wave; Work On New Tube And Overcoming Static.

Urbana Ill Dec 13—Fans listening in to the University of Illinois broadcasting station here will have a chance to participate in an experiment that is expected to revolutionize the entire process of broadcasting.

During the winter while the weather is most beneficial to radio professors in the University of Illinois research laboratories will try broadcasting concerts without the use of carrier waves. Only a short time ago the world was notified of this innovation by which carrier waves and their disadvantages are eliminated

BETTER TUBE.

Work on a new type of electron detector tube which he ten volts is said to be from three to five times as sensitive as a gas content detector tube It is the accomplishment of Dr C T Knipp of the department of physics and H A Brown of the department of electrical engineering

Experiments in the field of ultra short wave telegraphs being conducted by Prof J T Tykociner in ternational radio research engineer

Research H A Brown of the electrical engineering department into the problem of static in which he has found that the one stage radio frequency amplifier and regenerative detector is the best type of receiver for this purpose

PART OF COURSE

Minor experiments go on regularly in the course of teaching being conducted in the electrical engineering laboratories at the university

In the tests concerning broadcasting without carrier waves this winter the university will try to break in with its new system in the midst of a concert being sent out by the present carrier wave method Reports will be solicited from listeners on the reduction of static modulation and quality of voice reproduction as a result of the change

SHORT WAVE TESTS

In his work on extremely short waves Prof Tykociner has had constructed four isolated laboratories on the field south of the Illinois stadium In each is a research laboratory and each has its mission to fulfill in the tests being carried on

Dr Knipp's new type of detector is found to be most effective at 10 volts although it is sensitive at any plate voltage from almost zero to 30 or 40 volts With Brown Dr Knipp has found that the vapor of certain alloys or rare elements introduced in a three electrode tube caused the tube to function as a photo electric cell

Brown's static tests led him to the discovery of the single stage radio frequency amplifier with regenerative detector as most practicable proof against static Repeated comparison tests showed the signal to static ratio to be higher in this type of receiver than in any of the complicated multi tube sets

The Voice From WSAI

Eugene Mittendorf sports announcer for station WSAI at Cincinnati O boasts of being the first man to broadcast play-by play descriptions of night football games He described the games played at home by the University of Cincinnati team They were played at night

WOC On High Power

Station WOC is another broadcaster that is soon to go on high power A 1 00 watt transmitter is being installed and broadcasting will begin on 1500 watts under the experimental license issued by the government

ENGLISH ARTISTS FACE STARVATION

London Dec 13—(AP)—Never before in England has the tabled hand to mouth existence of artists been more in evidence than today according to a committee of one of the artisans which has been trying to help its numerous colleagues who can't sell their paintings and who can't find other work

Before the post war slump it was always possible for artists of any degree of ability to find some market for their work But now nothing but the products of royal academicians have much chance of selling Only about ten per cent of last year's exhibits at the Royal Academy exhibition found buyers while in the former years only this percent usually was left unsold

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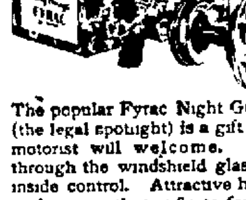

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KYW (536)—Chicago Central church service at Orchestra hall
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WGN (370)—Chicago Comics, program
12 30 p m—
KHJ (405)—Los Angeles Organ
1 00 p m—
WDAR (395)—Philadelphia Orchestra
WEAF (492)—New York Hymns
WOC (484)—Davenport Orchestra
WWJ (517)—Detroit Orchestra
1 30 p m—
WGBS (316)—New York Theater program
WOO (509)—Philadelphia Service
1 45 p m—
KDKA (326)—East Pittsburgh Concert
2 00 p m—
WGR (319)—Buffalo Service, choir
WTAS (306)—Elgin Ill Concert
2 45 p m—
WNAC (278)—Boston Program
2 30 p m—
KYW (536)—Chicago Service
2LH (325)—Edinburgh Scotland Program
WCBD (345)—Zion Ill Service
WGN (370)—Chicago Concert
2 35 p m—
WGY (380)—Schenectady Orchestra
3 00 p m—
KFNF (266)—Shenandoah Iowa Service
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh Piano
WGR (319)—Buffalo Organ
WJJD (278)—Mooseheart Ill Concert
WQJ (448)—Chicago Concert
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati Sermon chimes
3 30 p m—
CKAC (425)—Montreal Italian band
WDBY (258)—Chicago Service
4 00 p m—
WBAP (476)—Fort Worth Theater program
WDAF (411)—Kansas City Program
WGY—(380)—Schenectady Organ
WHAS (400)—Louisville Choir
WHO (526)—Des Moines Lecture music
5 00 p m—
KGW (492)—Portland Ore Concert
WCX (517)—Detroit Orchestra
WLBH (344)—Chicago Program
WOAR (261)—Kenosha Wis Program
WOO (509)—Philadelphia Organ
5 30 p m—
KDKA (326)—East Pittsburg Concert
KGO (312)—Oakland Cal Orchestra
WBZ (337)—Springfield Mass Service
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh Concert
6 00 p m—
WJZ (455)—New York Orchestra
WOAW (526)—Omaha Bible study
WTAS (286)—Elgin Ill Concert
6 20 p m—
WCAP (469)—Washington D C Program
WEAF (492)—New York Theater program
WJAR (300)—Providence R I Program
6 30 p m—
WBZ (337)—Springfield Mass Concert
WLS (344)—Chicago Organ
7 00 p m—
KYW (536)—Chicago Sunday Evening club program from Orchestra hall
WEBH (370)—Chicago Two hour recital
WREO (285 3)—Lansing Mich Program
7 15 p m—
WJY (405)—New York Orchestra
7 30 p m—
WDBY (258)—Chicago Service
WHO—(526)—Des Moines Choir
WOC (484)—Davenport Program
7 45 p m—
WCCO (417)—Minneapolis St Paul Service
WJZ (455)—New York Program
8 00 p m—
WGY (380)—Schenectady Orchestra
WTAM (390)—Cleveland Concert
WQJ (448)—Chicago Two hour concert
WTAS (286)—Elgin Ill Four hour concert
8 10 p m—
WBBR (273)—Staten Island Concert talk
8 15 p m—
WCAP (469)—Washington D C Organ
WEAF (492)—New York Talk by Donald B MacMillan explorer organ
8 30 p m—
WBZ (337)—Springfield Mass Concert
WLW (423)—Cincinnati Orchestra
9 00 p m—
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Program
WGN (370)—Chicago Concert
WHAA (484)—Iowa City Iowa Hymn
WHN (360)—New York News music
WOAW (526)—Omaha Musical service
9 30 p m—
WFAA (476)—Dallas Orchestra
WOAI (385)—San Antonio Program
WOC (484)—Davenport Orchestra
WRW (273)—Tarrytown N Y Program
KGO (312)—Oakland Cal Service
10 00 p m—
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Program
11 00 p m
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Program
12 00 midnight—
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Orchestra

Monday Program.

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(By Associated Press)
(Silent Night Chicago)

WOI Ames (360) 8 Glee club
KFGZ Berrien Springs (286) 7 story 8 orchestra
WEEI Boston (303) 6 Big Brother club 6 30 Santa Claus 7 concert 7 45 orchestra 8 30 musical 9 30 orchestra 10 music
WGR Buffalo (319) 6 music 8 10 concert 10 30 dance
WOC Davenport (484) 7 30 educational lecture 8 musical 9 30 lecture 10 comedy
WLW Cincinnati (423) 8 10 music
WTAM Cleveland (390) 7 concert
WHK Cleveland (283) 6 bedtime
WWJ Detroit News (517) 7 30 concert quartet
WCX Detroit Free Press (517) 6 musical
WHO Des Moines (526) barltone 8-9 musical
KFKX Hastings (291) 9 30 vocal instrumental
KNX Hollywood (337) 8 music 10 feature orchestra
WOS Jefferson City (440 9) 8 piano concert
WHB Kansas City (411) 8 automotive talk orchestra
WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 6 7 School of the Air & popular music 11 45 Nighthawks
KFI Los Angeles (469) 10 dance 11 program
WMC Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8 30 bedtime 8 30 concert
KFKB Milford (286) 10 11 lecture program 11 15 lecture music
WJJD Mooseheart (278) orchestra entertainment songs
WAAW Omaha (526) 7 30 9 special program
WJZ New York (455) 6 orchestra 1 vocal 6 30 music 8 30 talk 8 4 soprano 9 orchestra
WEAF New York (492) 7 talk 8 and Gypsies 9 Happiness Boys
WOR Newark (405) 7 piano 7 30 music 8 4 lines instructions 9 Carolina 11 orchestra
KGO Oakland (312) orchestra 10 educational talk 1 solists
WOAW Omaha (526) 6 rustic hour 8 3 mixed 9 orchestra 9 program
WOO Philadelphia (509) 6 30 orchestra 7 30 orchestra 8 concert 9 03 recital 9 30 dance
WDAR Philadelphia (395) 6 30 talk 8 1 talk 9 recital 9 0 dance
WFI Philadelphia (395) 6 talk
WIP Philadelphia (509) talk
WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 6 30 Uncle Kaybee 6 45 address music hat 7 15 dancing lesson 7 30 musical 9 30 orchestra
KFAE Pullman (330) 9 30 Scotch songs readings talks
KPO San Francisco (423) 8 30 orchestra 7 30 children 9 orchestra 10 organ 11 soloists 1 band
KFOX Seattle (455) 9 1 bedtime 10 orchestra 11 concert 12 orchestra
WBBR Staten Island (273) 7 Oriental music 7 10 tenor 7 0 talk 7 40 tenor 4 Oriental music
KSD St Louis Post Dispatch (546) 7 music 8 concert program
CHNC Toronto (356) 30 pianist violinist vocal
WCBD Zion (345) 8 1 chorus saxophone quintet vocal

BUGS By Roy Grove

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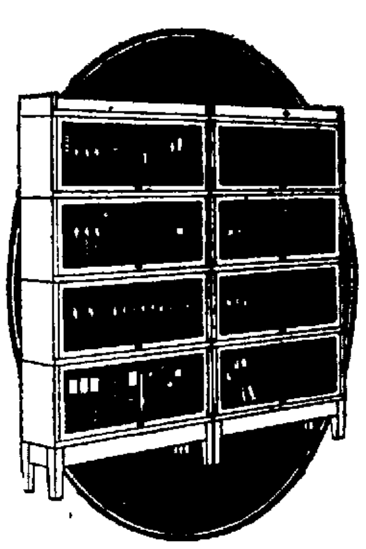

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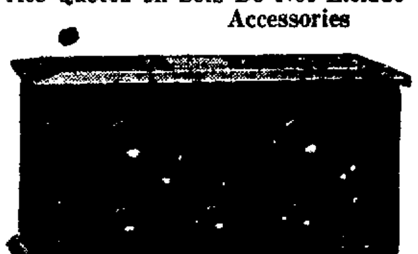

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France, England Talk Debt, Berlin Politics

BY A. G. GARDINER

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London, Dec. 13.—In the funeral gloom of the worst fog in years, the new parliament formally opened this week to hear the King's speech, with its forecast of the government's policy. The ceremony in the house of Lords was unusually brilliant and society, in celebration of the dismissal of the labor government into the outer darkness, put on its richest attire and most dazzling jewels.

The attitude of the new government is indicated in the announcement of a reversal of Ramsay Macdonald's policy in regard to such questions as imperial preference, safeguarding of industries and resumption of the proposal to convert Singapore into a naval base.

TENDENCIES EVIDENT.

The protectionist and imperialist tendencies of the new parliament are evident, but it is unlikely Prime Minister Baldwin will go far in giving satisfaction to his party in the direction of tariffs.

The most notable event in the opening stages of the opening of the British parliament was Winston Churchill's declarations on war debts. He has lost no time in showing he means to be an active spirit in the government and interest in parliament centers in the probable development of that astonishingly eager and imperious statesman. With Herbert H. Asquith excluded from the house, David Lloyd George seated on a back bench in the midst of a small remnant of the Liberal party and Mr. Macdonald seriously discredited by the circumstances that led to his fall, Mr. Churchill is the man to watch.

GERMANS FAIL TO KEEP PLEDGES, IS TARDIEU'S PROTEST

BY ANDRE TARDIEU

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Paris, Dec. 13.—Germany takes front ranks in the world's news this week, first on account of her elections which, owing to the number and complexity of parties, offer a magnificent subject of controversy, and second, on account of the information which leaked out concerning the report of the inter-allied military control commission. This information, at first vague, has become definite.

Both questions are linked because both the votes of the German people and acts of the government lead to the eternal question, what is Germany seeking?

The elections show the Germans at the moment want neither racists nor communists, that is, neither extreme nationalists nor extreme revolutionists. But except this, there is nothing very definite.

GERMANS OKEH DAWES PLAN IN RECENT ELECTION

BY MAXIMILIAN HARDEN.

Berlin, Dec. 13—Germany was fed up on lies during the four years of the war and she got so accustomed to the diet that her stomach apparently can stand nothing else.

"The enemy is weakening. Their food is gone. Their munitions are exhausted. And our submarines are triumphing. Victory is assured."

This sort of talk was fed to the Germans until Marshal Foch's reserves, which, according to the German communiques, had been "worn to nothing" suddenly broke out in the woods near Compiegne and General Ludendorff, the hero, telephoned to Berlin with trembling voice three times a day urging that an armistice be demanded immediately.

WAS NOT NEEDED.

And now, because of Germany's educated taste for lies, she has been subjected to a superfluous election.

When last May, the Nationalists won 206 of the 493 seats in the Reichstag, the people were told that it meant nothing, and by lying and propaganda, the Nationalists were cheated out of their right to participate in the government.

And now German people have had another election to "correct the May elections" and the Nationalists have come back with 212 seats.

NOT SPORTSMANSHIP.

The writer is not a monarchist, but as a believer in democracy, he must say that it is poor sportsmanship for a supposedly democratic nation to attempt to suppress the successful party, however distasteful it may be, by such lying practices.

The Nationalists triumphed in May and again this month, despite all the organized powers of officials, and they are entitled to their share in the responsibilities of the new government.

It is true that they have not a majority, but this is impossible to obtain in an industrial country where the workers have been accustomed for generations to vote the labor ticket, as the lesser of the two evils. But should the Soviet leader Zinoviev with grim humor, summon the German communists to continue the next lap of the fight against the League of Nations, disarmament, reparations and commercial treaties, then a solid phalanx of 255 deputies could be brought together in an opposition majority.

IKE, NEGRO, RUNS AMOK; THREE DIE

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 13—One policeman was fatally wounded, a woman proprietor of a negro roadhouse near here was instantly killed, and two other men were shot, but not seriously injured late today when a negro known only as Ike, ran amok in the roadhouse with two pistols in his hands. He was in turn shot and killed by an officer.

PARIS-LONDON AGAIN QUARREL

Split Threatens Over War Debt to America.

BY WILLIAM BIRD.

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Paris, Dec. 13.—Another split between Great Britain and France threatens over the question of their debts to the United States, Winston Churchill's speech in the House of Commons is hailed here as an omen of direful debates to follow when the inter-allied financial conference opens. The tendency of France's conservative banking circles is to condemn the Herriot government for attempting to reach a separate understanding with America without consulting Great Britain.

"LaJournee Industrielle," a daily newspaper which represents the big business of the country, says, "Every time our diplomacy tries to treat separately with America on a question which is interesting to Great Britain also, it goes wrong."

SEVERE REPRIMAND.

This much commented upon remark is meant to be a severe reprimand to Premier Herriot and Ambassador Jusserand for attempting to settle France's debt to America without considering England's position, which is almost the same as America's, so far as France is concerned.

Of course, it is true that Great Britain took the first step in this direction by negotiating the Baldwin agreement providing for the payment of the British debt to America. This action appalled France at the time and has since aroused much criticism in England even from such astute politicians as Lloyd George. But at the time Great Britain made the arrangement, it was regarded as a magnificent gesture toward helping cement Anglo-American solidarity.

France's action of a like nature, however, comes at a time when the bankers of the world are beginning to perceive that the Baldwin agreement is practically impossible of execution.

PRESENT FEAR.

What is feared now from the British point of view is that the French will negotiate an arrangement requiring no important payments for several years, during which time the British will be forced to default unless they can compel France to guarantee the same settlement of France's debt to Great Britain.

From the French point of view, and indeed, the point of view of bankers the world over, this whole question of debt settlement is a game of diplomatic bluff. Neither France nor Great Britain, it is held, can possibly meet her obligations toward America unless America will lower her tariff and admit a flood of European goods.

What has happened thus far in the British payments is that American securities, which were held in Canada and the other dominions, have been transferred to London, but they are now almost exhausted.

TALK DEFAULT.

The question, as the French see it, is "shall France as well as England, default? It is believed that if Ambassador Jusserand had refrained from negotiating at this time, the burden of defeat would have been laid on England alone, and France would not have been mixed up in it. But the negotiations between Ambassador Jusserand and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, coupled with Winston Churchill's declaration that France must pay England as well as America, makes the French fear that the final blame for the failure will rest on France.

WOMEN SPONSOR PACIFISM-FISKE

Retired Admiral Flays "Meddling."

New York, Dec. 13.—Pacifism prevails in the United States because of the influence of women, who have an "insatiable desire to interfere in matters they do not understand," Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, retired, said tonight.

He spoke at a dinner at the Army and Navy club, which marked the thirty-eighth anniversary of the Strollers.

TWO HUNDRED PRESENT.

Two hundred members of the old Strollers and their guests—most of them ex-Army and ex-Navy men from cities of this country and Canada—attended the function.

Rear Admiral Fiske asserted that there need have been no post-war chaos in the United States if the Army and Navy had been maintained at a preparedness standard, so that the country could pass from a state of peace to a state of war without dislocating the industrial and [illegible] cial, as well as the military machinery of the nation.

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Christmas Business Pleases Merchants

Shopping Started Early and Has Continued Steadily —Stores Full Saturday.

Christmas business seems more like the days of old than it has done in several years. The weather is good, the roads are good, prices are right and money seems to be more plentiful than it has been in some time.

Merchants say that the shopping, which began early, has been getting better with each day, until now the amount of business done each day is more like the week preceding Christmas. Almost every merchant expresses himself as highly pleased with the flood of business coming his way.

EVEN WITH LAST YEAR

One man said that his people were just about even with the day of the month a year ago, and leap year has added one more day to the shopping, while there is a Saturday in before Christmas this year that was not there last year. He expects business to keep up until the last minute and almost until the last key is turned before Christmas dawns.

BUSY SATURDAY.

Saturday merchants had all the busines they could handle and some of them had more than they could handle and would have been glad to have had more clerks if it had been possible to get them so as to better serve the crowd. In one store the crowd was so bad that once a man or woman got in there he or she was swept along with the crowd and had hard work getting where the purchase was to be made.

Some charging is being done, but this is not out of proportion to the cash business, a merchant stated, and does not therefore indicate any reckless buying on the part of the people. It is about what would be expected as its proportion of the volume of the day's trade.

Another man reported the crowd as exceptionally good humored about the jostling in the stores and the length of time it took to be served.

BUY PRACTICAL THINGS.

Practical things are being purchased—and by practical, one man said, he meant the things which would be purchased throughout the year or the season—and for this reason he found it difficult to say just when Christmas buying did begin, seeing it in the general pick-up of the trade volume.

Not much ready-to-wear is moving, he said. The ready-to-wear business—meaning coats and suits, blouses, etc.—has been shot to pieces all over the country by the weather conditions which have prevailed almost everywhere. It has been too warm to force the people to buy the warmer clothing.

WOMEN'S SUITS.

The suit business, he pointed out, has been in bad for several years, so bad, in fact, that many suit manufacturers have gone out of the business and into the manufacture of dresses. This has been brought about by the one-piece dress—a thing to which the women cling in spite of all efforts to bring back the suit. Its ease of wearing and the quickness with which it is donned, as well as the fact that the modern dresses have about eliminated the corset, put the skids under the suit. The attempt to bring back the suit resulted in the three-piece costume to which the women refused to take at all.

STAPLE GOODS.

It is staples, such as gloves hosiery, toilet articles, leather goods, the ever-needful handkerchief, small furniture, which are going well. And furs are good. One man said he had sold more furs this year than in three or four years past. But furs are spasmodic, and judging by the appearance of the women on the street everyone must have fur on her outer garments this year.

And the toys? To be sure they are going well. Eager faces pressed close to the windows where toys are displayed tell who are the most interested. But parents are buying and all the family connected with the boys and girls are looking after them that there may be no disappointments.

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The mixed chorus will practice Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Millikin auditorium and the mixed chorus and men's glee club will practice Tuesday at 7 o'clock. At 8 o'clock on the same evening the woman's glee club has its practice and immediately following this there will be dress rehearsal for all three of the chorus groups.

STUDENT TICKETS

Tickets for the students of the university are to be given out Monday and Tuesday. Tickets not accepted by students or faculty members are to be placed in the hands of the faculty members from whom townspeople may get them. Tickets are good up to 4:15, and from 4:15 until the program starts at 4:30 anyone may be admitted if seats are available. The services will start promptly at 4:30.

The tickets are used only because of the great number of people who are expected to attend—last year the crowd was so great that almost a hundred people were turned away. Tickets, of course, are only invitations and there is no cost connected with them, however some method of reservation of seats for Millikin students and faculty had to be arranged.

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Vesper services this year are under the direction of Miss Olive Young of the Millikin faculty. The services for the last two years have been especially inspirational, beautifully arranged and carried out to a degree of excellency unequaled in any other similar service in the city

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Miss Clark, Miss Mote..., Mr Brown
Mrs Martin

Processional, As With Gladness Men of Old ..... (Kocher)

"Ava Maria ..... (Bach-Gounod)
With violin obligato
Mrs Bernice Taylor Otto Castle Brown

"Hark The Herald Angels Sing" ..... (Mendelssohn)
Angel Chorus

"While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks by Night" ..... (Old Choral)
Mr Berryhill, Mr Madden, Mr Christensen

"We Three Kings of Orient Are" ..... (J. H. Hopkins)
Mr. Roob, Mr. Witzemann, Mr. Birks

"Coronation" Hymn Page 100, stanzas 1-2-5-6 ..... (O. Holden)
Congregation and Choir standing

"Holy Night" ..... (Adams)
Mrs. Mertz

"Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne" ..... (T. R. Matthews)
Men's Chorus

"Away in a Manger—Luther's Cradle Hymn" ..... (Olds)
Miss Frederick, Organ

"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" ..... (R. S. Willis)
Quartet Mrs. Otto, Miss Gladys Phillis
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and chorus

"Gloria In Excelsis Deo" ... (Traditional)
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"Recessional, O Come All Ye Faithful" ..... (Anon)
Choral Amen.
Candle ceremony.
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James D. Johnson.

A man doesn't have to be eternally heading up things to be considered a genuine public servant. The "Doer" compiler discovered this fact when he made extensive research into Mr. Johnson's community service record.

"No, you won't find that Jim has had his picture often printed as being elected to lead any organizations," was the way one admirer put it, "but if you inquire into almost any important activity of a public nature that has taken place here, you're pretty sure to find that he was connected with its success. He didn't wear the captain's trappings, probably, but he was there as duty sergeant. And any soldier will tell you that the sergeants won the War."

Mr. Johnson has been a director of the Y. M. C. A. for fifteen years, a director of the Kiwanis Club, of the Motor Club, and active in the Community Chest. At least once he was forced to accept the nominal as well as actual leadership of a great community project, and that was this year when he served as chairman of the Mayor's committee on the Decatur Park District.

Events have proved that in this project as in others, Jim Johnson creditably fulfilled his voluntary obligation. Just now he is working for the municipal athletic field proposal. His interest in Welfare work is constant.

Jim Johnson is that rara avis in this age of high-powered publicity, a genuinely modest person. But hundreds of Decatur citizens who appreciate his services agree with Fielding that "his modesty only illumines his merit more."

STRIKE SETTLED; I. T. S. CARS MOVE

First One Out of Decatur At 4:50 P. M.

DO USUAL BUSINESS

Freight to Start Going Again Monday.

Word that the strike had been called off reached Decatur shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and preparations were made at once to get the cars moving. The first car out of Decatur went east at 4:50 o'clock and from that time on the regular schedule was in force.

The ticket office reported that with the opening of service after a week's inactivity, the number of people riding was about normal, and that cars entering Decatur were bringing their accustomed Saturday night crowds. Word that the strike had been settled spread rapidly and the service was taken advantage of at once.

No freight will move on the system out of Decatur until Monday, it was stated at the dispatcher's office. With the resumption of freight service, the entire system will be running at normal again.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 13.—The strike of trainmen, which has tied up the Illinois Traction System lines, was settled today and by the terms of the compromise agreement the trainmen agreed to drop their demands for time and one-half for overtime and accept the offer of the company of ten cents an hour extra for overtime, the passenger day to be nine hours and the freight day ten hours. The company agreed to recognize the "closed shop."

VICTIM OF A BANDIT'S BULLET

A DECATUR HERO.

Gottfried (Fred) Schikowski, who died of a wound received in performing his duty as a good citizen, attempting to help a policeman arrest two bandits. The Review's fund is being raised as a voluntary testimonial to his bravery.

OVER $500 IN SCHIKOWSKI FUND

Elks Club Sends in $36 to Help.

SCHIKOWSKI FUND.
Review Cash Fund.

Previously reported	$356.00
Elks club members	36.50
Total	$392.50
Other gifts	109.25
Grand total	$501.75

Another boost for the fund which is being raised for Mrs. Adeline Schikowski came Saturday afternoon when members of the Elks lodge brought into The Review office $36.50 in cash. This brought the total in The Review cash fund up to $392.50. With the other gifts already in or on the way, the grand total raised to date is $501.75.

The Elks members who contributed to the fund were as follows:

P. J. Ebert	$1.00
W. A. Raez	1.00
E. Reichenthal	.50
A. Gosch	.50
J. O. Furr	.50
E. C. Stevens	1.00
R. L. Wikoff	.50
Ollie C. Potter	.50
Ed G. Schaffner	1.00
Milton Steinberger	1.00
R. J. Moore	1.00
H. R. Stahl	1.00
W. S. Mitvalsky	1.00
H. L. Davis	1.00
J. F. McNier	1.00
Charles Dy Arman	1.00
C. R. Gregory	1.00
W. E. Wieland	1.00
G. H. Walker	1.00
Oscar Danzeisen	1.00
George Camp	1.00
Jim Taylor	1.00
E. Swisher	1.00
L. Friedman	.50
Joe Cossack	1.00
Dr. F. H. Yates	1.00
A. J. Lorton	1.00
William Wolf	.50
T. C. Clarkson	1.00
Oscar Greenberg	1.00
C. A. Evans	1.00
Earl Voyles	1.00
C. H. Loughlin	.50
H. L. Dolson	.50
C. W. Nunn	1.00
J. J. Maloney	1.00
H. H. Abbott	1.00
M. B. Warner	1.00
B. E. Flannery	1.00
G. R. Johnson	1.00
Roy Trisch	1.00
A. Ja Posthour	.50

STALEY SALESMEN COME THIS WEEK

Branch Managers from Bulk Division.

HERE FOR THREE DAYS

Several Entertainment Features Planned.

Traveling salesmen of the A. E. Staley Manufacturing company will have their annual meeting in the home office in Decatur this week. Because of the large number of men in the specialty and package goods division, none of the men from those two divisions will be brought in for the meeting.

Those who will attend will be the branch managers and the representatives from the bulk division. It is expected that thirty or more men will be in attendance from all part of the United States. None of the foreign representatives will be present this year.

THREE DAYS

The program for the three days meeting, which opens Wednesday Dec. 17, includes talks by A. E. Staley, president of the company, and E. K. Schutter, general sales manager as well as more technical discussions by representatives from the process department.

Each day there will be a luncheon for the men at the Staley club house on Lake Decatur. Wednesday the there will be a theater party for the men at the Fair Skinner plays at the Lincoln Square. Thursday night there will be a banquet in their honor at the Orlando hotel and Friday night the annual banquet for the salesmen and the executives of Decatur, will be held in the club house.

S. A. KETTLES GATHER $475

Saturday Is Disappointing Day for Attendants.

For some inexplainable reason the Salvation Army kettles did not do as well Saturday as they did one week ago, nor as well as they were expected to do. The day's bell ringing brought in not more than $75. This with the $400 already reported brings the total given toward the Christmas dinner and other cheer up to $475. Much more is needed if all who have no other way of securing a happy Christmas are to be provided for.

The officers of the Army have asked that any one who knows of a family who needs a basket, or in the name and address to the Army, it is the purpose to see that no one in the city is neglected when Christmas day rolls around.

What Other Cities Have Done to Doll Up for Christmas

Yuletide celebrations, including elaborate street pageantry, will soon become an accepted feature of the holiday season.

Some of the larger cities have already established a custom of this sort, according to the American City Magazine of recent date.

Atlanta, Ga., plants a tree each year at Christmas and a group is already forming that is used as a background for its community Christmas tree.

Milwaukee's community Christmas tree is famed far and wide for its gigantic size and dazzling splendor. This Leviathan among Yule trees is built of 400 average-sized trees, placed in sockets on a 75-foot pole.

Other cities have begun to use red and green street lights. Last year Broadway's Great White Way became a gleaming river of crimson and green light.

Paris has her streets garlanded with greens and lit with red and green lights.

New York's giant community Christmas tree in Madison Square was a thing of unforgettable beauty.

And Pittsburgh's civic association is making "Hope Chests" in show windows, heaped with gifts for the poor.

WOMAN ARRESTED IN HOTEL ROBBERY

Mary Miller Indicted for 1921 Affair.

RECENTLY IMPLICATED

Boys Brought from Prison to Testify.

One of the indictments returned by the October grand jury was against Mary Miller, 545 East William street. This is a sequel to the robbery at the Hotel Orlando on the morning of Oct. 20, 1921, when Mrs. Whitehead, the cashier, was held up in her office, severely beaten and robbed of several hundred dollars.

After about a year had elapsed a statement made by George Duncan, a former bell-hop at the hotel while in Washington, D. C., led to his arrest and his final confession, implicating Richard Honold and Lawrence Hagan. Duncan pleaded guilty and was admitted to probation. Honold and Hagan pleaded guilty after the state's witnesses had testified, and they were sentenced to the Chester penitentiary.

IMPLICATE WOMAN.

Several weeks ago while Officer Gibbons and Deputy Sheriff Cooper were at the penitentiary they questioned the two young men. They had suspected there was a woman implicated in the hold-up in some way. Finally the young men told them that Mary Miller was the one who had framed the hold-up; that she learned from Duncan, the bell-hop, about the unprotected condition of the cashier's office, and she planned the robbery with Duncan and Honold. It is said that she even furnished them with a revolver. It is said that after the robbery she was given only $30 as her share of the stolen money and she quarreled with Honold about it.

OUT ON BOND.

Honold and Hagen were brought from Chester and testified before the October grand jury. The indictment of Mary Miller was the result.

Whether she got a tip as to what the grand jury was doing is not known, but when the sheriff's officers went to Mary Miller's home to arrest her she could not be located. She returned to Decatur a few days ago and was promptly arrested. She is now out on $1,000 bond to await trial in the circuit court. The term is so near its end and there being two murder cases to try, it is expected that the Miller case will not be tried till the January term.

Sues for Divorce.

Leona Davidson has filed a bill for divorce from Archie H. Davidson. They were married Dec. 15, 1922, and lived together till Dec. 10, 1924. She charges him with cruelty and asks for alimony.

W. H. PENHALLEGON IS COMMISSIONER

Named in Presbyterian World Alliance.

Dr. W. H. Penhallegon, of Decatur, was notified recently of his appointment as commissioner of the World Alliance of Churches holding the Presbyterian system. He received word from the secretary of the churches of this country in Philadelphia.

This organization meets in Cardiff, Wales, next June. Rev. Mr. Penhallegon does not know whether or not he will attend his meeting.

WOMEN VOTERS MEET TUESDAY

First Annual Meeting at Y. W. C. A. At 9:30.

The Macon County League of Women Voters will hold its first annual meeting at the Y. W. C. A. at 9:30 o'clock, Tuesday morning, Dec. 16. A written report of the accomplishments of the year will be available for all members. Mrs. Myrtle Edwards will present suggestions from the state board for work for the coming year. Officers will be elected for 1925. Every members should be present.

MRS P. W. WIPPERMAN,
Acting President.

ABOUT TOWN

THE world hasn't gone to the dogs after all, is the opinion of William A. Wallender, and he has reasons for his belief.

Last week he received a check for $7 from a boy who had owed him $6 ever since 1921. Mr. Wallender lived in Springfield, Mo., at that time and this lad was going to the Missouri university there. Mr. Wallender sold the boy his school supplies, many times on credit, and some times he loaned him money. One day the boy asked him for a loan of $6, and he was given it.

The debt ran on until Mr. Wallender left the city. He asked the boy for the money before he left, but he got only a bad check.

"I had kissed the money good-bye," said Mr. Wallender, "and until the other day had always counted the debt as a a liability. Now it has proved to be an asset. The boy sent me a dollar more than he owed me for interest, and apologized for the way he had treated me.

"I certainly was glad to get the money, because it showed me that there are still some honest people in the world."

B. A. Schudel also had some stories to tell about some honest people. He said that three times he had had people who had taken the bankrupt law come to him of their own free will and pay what they had owed, even offering to pay interest on the debt.

JACK GIBBONS WINS GOOD TURN

Helped Carry Bundles for Woman.

Jack Gibbons of Troop 14 is the winner of a second weekly prize in The Review's Boy Scout good turn contest. This week's prize was awarded for a good turn which was not spectacular, as previous ones have been, but for one in which the motive was very high, showing a kindness and thoughtfulness for an old woman who was loaded down with packages.

Jack saw the woman between Cerro Gordo and Eldorado streets, on North Main, and asked her if he could help her carry a few of the bundles. She gave him some of them and he carried them to the Transfer House, where she boarded the street car.

SHOWED KINDNESS.

In awarding this prize to Jack it was realized by the judges that there are very few boys, or even grown people, who would be thoughtful enough to stop to do that sort of a good turn. It was not that the good turn was spectacular, but that it showed kindliness and respect for an old woman, that won him the recognition as prize winner.

Another good turn which was done, which showed almost as much respect and kindliness, was helping an old man across Wood street, where Pine street intersects. The boy saw the old man waiting, and the traffic was heavy, so he helped him across.

Many boys have not been offering their good turns in this contest because they felt that their good turns had to be spectacular before they could win. However, this is not true, but it is the motive back of the good turn which counts most.

WON TWO WEEKS AGO.

Jack Gibbons won the prize two weeks ago by chasing a dog away from a little child who was very much frightened at the animal. His winning of this week's prize also cinches the troop prize for Troop 14, with all four weekly prizes going to it. Two more weeks are left in the contest. Two more weekly prizes will be awarded and a grand prize will be given to the boy turning in the best good turn during the six weeks. Prizes will be awarded at a court of honor.

HITS THEORIES ON PTOMAINE POISON

Fred W. Tanner Talks to Chemists Club.

Time-honored theories as to the causes of ptomaine poisoning were exploded by Professor Fred W. Tanner of the bacteriological department of the University of Illinois in an address before the dinner meeting of the Decatur Chemists' club Friday evening when he spoke on "Some Recent Phases of Food Poisoning."

The statement that no harm can come from storing food in tin cans after opening was a startling one to many members of the club, and Dr. Tanner introduced a number of other interesting points on food preservation and quoted statistics from some of his recent researches that proved interesting. His lecture was interspersed with considerable humor.

A number of Decatur physicians were the guests of the club for dinner and a good attendance of members was present.

TWO NEGROES ROB JENNIE CARROLL

Clothes Badly Torn in Fight to Save Purse.

A woman, said to be Jennie Carroll, was held up and robbed by two negroes at the intersection of Tenth and Cerro Gordo streets shortly before 8 o'clock Saturday night. She put up a fight to save her purse and her clothes were badly torn in the struggle. It is not known how much money the thieves got. The police searched the neighborhood of the holdup, but were unable to find the robbers.

AUTO CRASHES INTO WINDOW

Two Men and Two Women in Car On Oakland Avenue.

Two men and two women in an Oakland touring car, license number 977,513, crashed into the plate glass window of the Oakland cafe on Oakland avenue about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night. The window was shattered but the car was apparently undamaged.

The men in the car gave the names of Terneus and Jolly, and after the crash got into the car and drove away.

LUNCHEON CLUBS

ROTARY.

John Valentine of The Review editorial staff will address the Rotary club at its Monday noon luncheon on the subject "America's Foreign Outposts."

Mr. Valentine, formerly a U. S. Consular officer in Italy was a member of the A. E. F. and after receiving his discharge from the army in France became vice-consul at Naples where he served during 1919 and 1920. He was in charge of immigration from the port of Naples for that period.

Monday's meeting will be in the dining room of the First Presbyterian church at 12:15 sharp. Members will enter from the Church street entrance.

LIONS.

Members of the Lions club and their families will hold a Christmas tree party Thursday evening in the Y. M. C. A. annex. Each member is asked to bring a child to the party and toys and good things to eat will be there in plenty.

For the Monday noon meeting the club will be entertained by a vaudeville act from the Empress theater.

CITY CLUB.

The city club will hold a ladies' night entertainment and dinner Friday night in the Y. M. C. A. annex at which Dr. Frederick F. Shannon, pastor of the Central church, Orchestra Hall, Chicago, will be the speaker. Reservations for the dinner should be made by Wednesday.

OPTIMIST.

Capt. J. P. Murphy, at present in charge of the Organized Reserve in the Decatur district will speak to the Optimist club on Thursday. He will tell something of the Panama Canal at which he was stationed for a number of years as an officer of infantry.

KIWANIS.

The Kiwanis club will hold its regular Tuesday noon luncheon in the Hotel Orlando.

U. C. T. CHRISTMAS PARTY ON DEC. 20

Will Have Santa Claus and Treat for Children.

The United Commercial Travelers will have their Christmas social Saturday night, Dec. 20 at the Woodman Hall, Schudel building, West Main street. A short program is being arranged by Mrs. F. L. Weldman and will start at 8 p. m. Santa Claus will be there following the program with a treat for the children. Homebrook's orchestra will furnish the music for the dance starting at 9 p. m.

Each member is permitted to bring an extra couple, each family will bring sandwiches for themselves and guests, the council will furnish the coffee, cream and sugar. There will be cards for those who do not care to dance.

All members and their families are urged to be present, as the committee is planning for a nice party.

HER SON IS NOT A FORGER

Mrs. Rance Wants Public to Know Truth.

"I want to clear my son's name from the charge of forgery. The grand jury threw out the case against him. You see Lee and I were checking on the same account at the Millikin National bank. He didn't know I had drawn all the money out. He wrote a check for $500, signing my name, as we had arranged. That's what they arrested him for, Lee Neal is not a forger and I want to put a piece in The Review because I'm tired of having people slurring my son."

This was the statement made by Mrs. Emma Rance, 529 East North street, Saturday night. She was very serious and much concerned.

HE SIGNED IT.

It seems that the arrest occurred in May when Lee Neal tried to cash a check on the account of Mrs. Emma Brown. He frankly admitted that he had signed that name to the check. But he didn't succeed in convincing the authorities that his mother had told him he could sign her name to checks. His mother was in California and her name is now Mrs. Emma Rance. She had neglected to change the name of her account at the bank and had not told her son she had exhausted the account.

Mrs. Rance says she had to go before the grand jury to convince the authorities that her son was not a forger, and she thinks the public ought to know the facts, also

SPECIAL MUSIC FOR CHRISTMAS

Interesting Program for First Presbyterian.

An interesting program is planned for the Christmas music to be given in the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening, Dec. 21. Miss Mary E. Reid, violinist, of the Decatur Musical college, Miss Alice Claypool Jefferson, pianist, also of the Musical college, and Miss Edna Bunn, organist of the church, will give a recital. An unusual recital to be called a Biblical anthem for the minister and the choir, will be given during the evening.

R. C. GOLZE HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Drives Car Into Another Parked at Side of Street.

R. C. Golze of 1506 North Edward street, driving a Chevrolet coupe with the dimmers on, ran into an automobile parked at the curb in front of the residence of E. L. Naylor, 1354 North Water street, early Saturday evening. Mr. Golze received two bad gashes in his forehead from broken glass and his coupe was considerably damaged.

He was assisted to his home by Fred Cline and a physician was called to sew up his wounds. His injuries are not considered serious. He did not see the parked car until too late to avoid the accident.

Ben Hur Party.

A party and treat will be given to the children of members of the Tribe of Ben Hur, Triumph Court No. 17, at the meeting of the court next Thursday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. A short program also has been arranged, after which the evening will be spent in dancing. Before the party the annual election of officers will be held.

DR. J. T. M'DAVID PRESIDENT MEDICS

Committees for Year Announced.

At the Decatur and Macon County Medical society held Friday noon the following officers and committees were elected and appointed.

President—Dr J. T. McDavid.

Vice President—Dr. F. H. Yates.

Secretary and Treasurer—Dr. F. E. Strickling.

Program Committee — Chairman, Dr. C. E. Woodward. Associates, Dr. John Hays and Dr. I. H. Neece.

Board of Consors— Chairman, Dr. Lynn Barnes. Associates, Dr. M. V. Pollock and Dr. S. O. Eads.

Public Health — Chairman, Dr. C. Roy Johnston. Associates, Dr. Orville Wilhelmy and Dr. A. F. Goodyear.

Legislative—Chairman, Dr. W. H. Bell. Associates, Dr. F. M. Anderson and Dr. F. E. Smith.

Clinic—Chairman, Dr. R. Z. Sanders. Associates, Dr. O. M. Williamson, Dr. A. O Magill, Dr. C. E. McClelland, and Dr. E. C. Roos.

JOSEPH H. FAITH JOINS C. A. BURKS

Will Be Partner in Handling Business Propositions

Joseph H. Faith, formerly in the retail merchandising business at Rankin, Ill., is now connected with C. A. Burks in the handling of business propositions and real estate at 118½ East William street.

Mr. Faith is a son of H. H. Faith who was formerly in the merchandising business at Illiopolis, but is now residing at Harristown.

Burks & Faith will be the style of the new firm and the office will remain at the above address.

TO BOOST ROAD TO NORTHEAST

Dinner Meeting in Cisco Wednesday Night.

The Chicago-St. Louis airline association advocating and boosting the hard road from Decatur by way of Cisco, Farmer City, and Gibson City, with headquarters in Cisco has called a meeting for Wednesday night at 6:30 o'clock in Cisco to take up active work of urging the state to early construction of the route.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 and a delegation is requested from Decatur. Word of the meeting came to M. C. Nelson, president of the Motor club.

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TO BUILD HOUSE IN MANOR PLACE

C. O. Deakins Gets Three Pretty Lots.

TO BE LANDSCAPED

C. W. Kunz Buys New House on North Dennis.

The total of real estate transfers and mortgages recorded the last week follows:

LAST WEEK.

Transfers	33	$ 51,471
Mortgages	28	85,860
City transfers	30	33,695
Farm transfers	2	15,381
Village transfers	1	095

BY PERIODS.

Transfers, 50 weeks	2,312	$1,718,674
Same time last year	2,395	2,048,853
Mortgages, 50 weeks	1,747	5,059,346
Same time last year	1,752	6,483,795
City transfers, 50 weeks	2,258	1,267,269
Same time last year	2,119	1,571,025
Farm transfers, 50 weeks	153	391,481
Same time last year	174	446,775
Village transfers 50 weeks	86	59,974
Same time last year	102	76,033

MONEY MARKET.

Average interest rate last week.....6.30
Average interest rate previous week....5.95
Average interest rate last year.....5.05

Of the money loaned $3,000 was at 5½%; $93,540 was at 6%; and $22,320 was at 7%.

$82,860 was loaned on city property, $3,000 on farm property.

C. O. Deakins has sold to C. W. Kunz, the handsome new, English colonial type residence just constructed at 134 North Dennis. This is a six room, thoroughly modern home of brick and stucco nicely located on a lot 49 by 150 with garage of same material as the house.

TO BUILD IN MANOR PLACE.

Mr. Kunz traded in to Deakins, three pretty building lots, each 70 by 108 feet in Mr. Kunz' Manor Place addition on West Main street. This is the first disposal of lots in that new tract which lies between the West Main hard road and the I. T. S. line, about 500 feet west of the old city limits. Its plan includes two courts terminating in turn-arounds which are to be landscaped. The plat contains eighteen lots. Mr. Kunz is constructing ornamental cobblestone light posts on the road entrances and is placing one in the center of each turn-around. Mr. Deakins expects to build on each of the three lots early in the spring. The valuations on the properties were not named.

COUNTRY TRACTS SOLD.

Louie Litchenberger sold to William Bantner, a three acre improved suburban tract located northeast of the city on the township line road. This place has a nice five room bungalow with concreted basement, good furnace and the tract is well covered with fruit. Bantner took it for investment at around $7,500.

He traded in as part pay to Litchenberger, a seven room modern house on a corner lot at 404 East Division street, the latter taking it for an investment at $5,000. W. E. Gregg handled the sales.

The firm of Lyons and Oldweiler sold for John Oldweiler and Ruth Walters, three ten-acre tracts located about five miles northeast of Decatur and just north of the Garver church. Two of the tracts sold to Floyd Gaddis and one to Arthur Conway. There are no improvements on the tracts and all of the ground is in cultivation. The prices were around $250 an acre.

BUYS HOME.

Fred Strojeck sold to John Mintun a five room modern bungalow on a full lot at 2228 East Wood street. The purchaser buys the place for a home and gets possession right away. The price was $5,200. C. N. Gorham and Son handled the sale.

G. S. Watt sold his home at 564 West Macon street to G. E. Hays for a home at about $4,000. This house, although rather old, is in excellent shape and modern and on a full city lot, well located. The Decatur Real Estate Co. made the sale.

Ruth Bradley sold to James R. Keefe, a new five room modern bungalow with long living room, oak floors and many built-in features. The purchaser buys for a home at $4,750. The house is located at 125 South Second street. The Decatur Real Estate Co. made the sale.

Gootlieb Solenski sold to Lawrence Suddith for a home, the six room part modern house and two full city lots at 806 Roger avenue. Suddith buys for a home at $3,850. C. N. Gorham and Son handled the sale.

20 ACRE TRACT SOLD.

Camp and Emrich sold to Edward Haynes, who resides east of the city, a twenty acre tract of ground about a mile northwest of the city near the west end of the township line road. There are just slight improvements on the place which has a gravel bank on it. It is slightly wooded, rolling and crossed by a stream. The price on it was $5,000. Haynes put in as part pay, a seven room modern house, full lot at 1740 East Wood street. Emrich and Camp taking it for investment at $3,500.

L. L. Walker sold to Charles Paine, a four room, part modern house on a full lot at 437 East Waggoner, the purchaser buying for a home at $3,200. Dallas D. Campbell handled the sale.

C. M. Chappel sold to Robert L. Brown, a four room, part modern house on a full lot in the 1400 block North Gulick, the purchaser buying for a home at $2,350. The Decatur Real Estate Co. and H. E. Cannon made the sale.

Schoenle and O'Mara sold to Owen Lourash, a new, five room, all modern bungalow on a corner lot, 56 by 76 feet, in the 1600 block East Decatur. The purchaser buys for a home and will get possession in about a week. The price was not stated. Lourash put in a four room bungalow equipped with lights and gas on a full lot at 1725 East Johns, the purchaser taking it for investment at a valuation of $2600. Hazenfield and Holt handled both sides of the transaction.

Thomas Hickman sold a lot 42 by 179 feet in the 1000 block West North street to Russell Rainey, who buys for investment at $1500.

TO BUILD.

C. C. Haddock sold to Charles W. Luttrell, a lot 44 by 150 feet in the 1100 block East Cantrell at $700. The purchaser plans to build there in the spring. C. A. Burks handled the sale.

Nellie Gentzlar sold her home, a ten room house, modern except bath, on a full lot at 259 East Condit street, the purchaser buying for investment at a price not stated.

Hugh L. Baker sold a not modern house with three very large rooms on a full lot at 873 West Sawyer, the purchaser buying for a home at a price not stated.

BUYS BUNGALOW.

Jett Robinson sold to Chester Landacre a new and modern five room bungalow on a lot 50 by 134 feet with garage in the 1100 block East Johns, the purchaser buying for a home at $5,000, and already having possession. Landacre put in as part pay, a four room part modern house on a lot 64 by 137 feet at Jordon and Marietta streets, the purchaser taking it for an investment at a price not stated.

Corinne Atherton sold to W. R. Mathis, a new, five room modern bungalow, full lot at 1305 East Lawrence, the purchaser buying for a home at a price not stated. The Decatur Real Estate company made the sale.

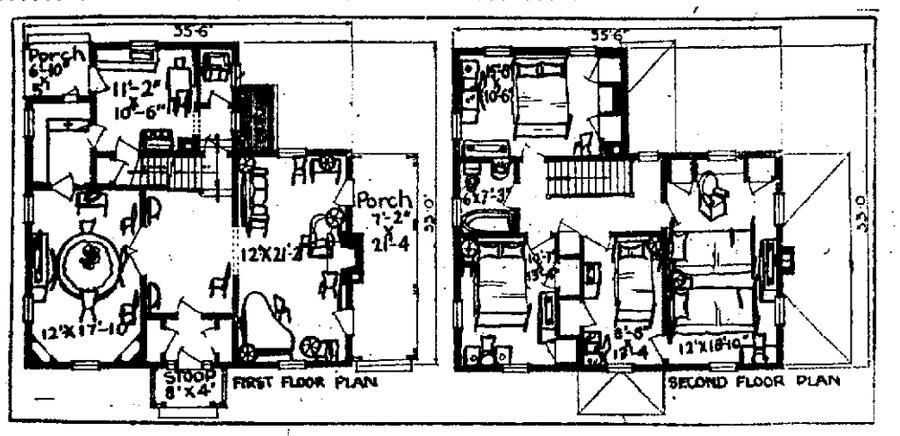
P. R. Beck sold to A. L. Young, a five room modern cottage with sleeping porch, short lot with garage, at 640 West Eldorado street, the purchaser buying for a home at a price not stated. The Decatur Real Estate Co. also handled this sale.

LEBO SELLS FARM.

A fairly improved farm of about 100 acres, located a mile east of Harristown and about a half mile south of the hard road, sold for Jacob Lebo to Jesse E. Gouge of Harristown for investment at $15,380. The land is mostly rolling timber land.

WEEKLY HOME PLAN

Simple, Dignified Colonial Home Seen In The Middle West



"Way down east" is no longer the only locality where real Colonial houses are to be found. It is interesting to note the constantly increasing number of really good examples of this type which are being built in the middle west.

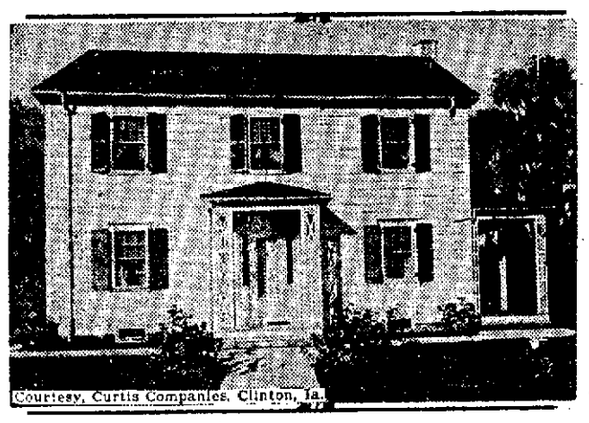
Its popularity is easily accounted for. It is dignified, simple and unassuming.

A vestibule shelters the central hall and includes two coat closets. A typical colonial stair, in white- and mahogany, beautifies the hall. A practical feature is that the landing two steps up, can be reached from the kitchen as well.

As you enter the long living room at the right of the hall, a homey fireplace faces you.

French doors separate the dining room from the hall. A pair of Colonial china closets occupy two corners of the room.

In this plan the pantry takes an important place. It shields the dining room from the confusion and odors of the kitchen, provides plenty of convenient cupboard space for tableware, and a place for the refrigerator where it can be iced from the back porch.



Floor plans and front view of seven-room Colonial home.

All the most wanted built-in features are included in the kitchen.

Four bedrooms upstairs are planned with the utmost convenience. Three of them have tray-cases built in, taking the place of chests of drawers. In the largest bedroom, a built-in seat at the end of the room serves as a chest.

This home should cost about $9,000, figuring at 26 cents a cubic foot.

KINDSBORO FARMER STRUCK BY TRAIN

Dies in Paris After Being Hit Near Home.

Arcola, Dec. 13.—Ross Cofer, a young farmer living near Hindsboro, was struck by the west-bound Pennsylvania passenger train at 4:20 Saturday afternoon, two miles east of Hindsboro, dying about 7:30 at Paris.

Mr. Cofer was driving in his Ford car and may have thought that he could beat the train over the crossing. The engineer of the Pennsylvania passenger train says he did not see the car until it was right on the tracks in front of the engine.

INJURED INTERNALLY.

The train was stopped within a short distance and the trainmen and passengers picked up the man. It was evident that he was injured internally. He was not bloody and at first he was conscious. He was taken into Hindsboro, but no doctors were located there and he was taken on the next east-bound train to Paris, where he died.

Robert Black of Arcola was a passenger on the train which struck young Cofer. He identified him at once and went with him to Hindsboro.

Ross Cofer has been living, since last summer, on a farm a half mile from the crossing where he was struck. He was twenty-five years old and married. He leaves a wife but no children.

The crossing is a good one and it is strange if Mr. Cofer did not see the oncoming passenger train.

600 New Homes 1924 Record for Decatur

Only Eight More Needed—Total Building Value to Date $4,292,675

Building permits issued last week	12
Building permits preceding week	19
Total building permits to date, 1924	1,500
New houses last week	7
Total new houses to date, 1924	592
Value represented last week	$ 92,650
Value represented preceding week	53,550
Total value to date, 1924	4,292,675

The end of the year will see 600 new homes as a result of building operations in Decatur in 1924. Permits were issued for seven new houses last week and only eight more are needed to make the 600.

Twelve building permits were issued by Building Inspector A. H. Cope last week, exactly the same number as the preceding week. Three were for garages, one for remodeling a house and one for remodeling a business building.

Last week's permits were as follows:

To Nellie Frey, for a garage at 621 West Sawyer, to cost $200.

To Mary T. Fields, for a five-room house at 228 West Lawn, to cost $5,500.

To J. T. Christensen, for a four-room house at 2003 North College, to cost $2,800.

To B. H. Vollmer, for a five-room house at 745 West Olive, to cost $5,000.

To Mrs. Robert Murphy, for a six-room house at 260 South Haworth, to cost $6,000.

To J. F. Mattes, for remodeling the business building at 217 North Main, at a cost of $1,800.

To A. C. Blickle, for remodeling the house at 542 North Morgan, at a cost of $500.

To Charles Fenton, for a garage at 1523 West Macon, to cost $200.

To E. I. Brown, for a garage at 553 East Olive, to cost $150.

To J. L. Burtschi, for a five-room house at 1168 East Wood, to cost $3,500.

To D. E. Watridge, for a four-room house at 2261 East Main, to cost $3,000.

To Corinne M. Atherton, for a five-room house at 1425 East Decatur, to cost $4,000.

DEEDS RECORDED

G. S. Watt to G. E. Hays, the property at 564 West Macon Street; $1.

C. F. Tate to Robert W. Linder, lots 42 and 43, Riverview addition; $500.

H. A. Lampe to Lulu M. Cooper, E ½ lot 1, block 3, Yates & King's addition; $7,250.

M. A. Nickey to W. C. Burtch, lots 69 to 71, Shore Acres; $1.

R. A. Morris to J. F. Shaner, east 50 feet of lot 56, Homeland addition; $1.

NEWS FROM THE SICK

Miss Mary A. Van Hook, 2107 North Main, was taken to St. Mary's hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Hays, who underwent a serious operation in St. Mary's hospital last Saturday, is improving but is not able to receive visitors yet.

Nazarene Revival.

Revival meetings will be held at the West Side Nazarene church all this week beginning at 7:15 this morning. Preaching services will begin every evening at 7:30.

Rev. E. G. Chalfant district superintendent of the church, will have charge of the services. Prof. J. Warren Lowman will lead the singing.

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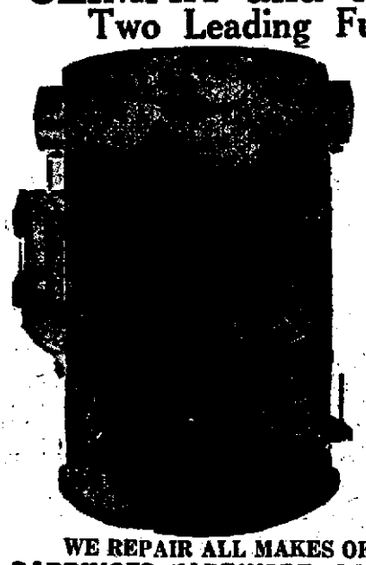
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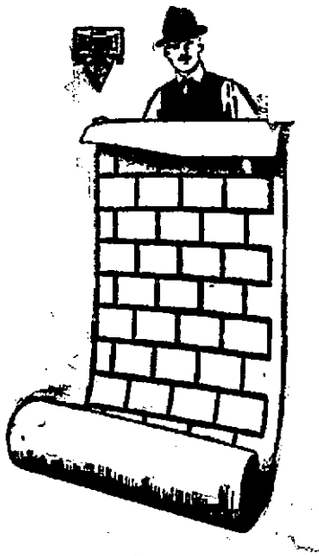
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Gompers Martyr to Labor's Cause

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down my trust for others to carry forward.

"When one comes to close grips with the eternal things, there comes a new sense of relative values and the less worthy things lose significance."

CALLED ON AID

Gompers went through with the opening formalities of the convention but when he came to the reading of his address, he appeared unwilling to use his energy which would be required to throw his voice to the corners of the large hall, and turned the manuscript over to Vice President William Green to be read to the delegates.

Near the end of the convention, representatives of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union presented a large marble bust of Gompers to the federation as a memorial of his life of service in the labor movement. When the flag which covered the bust was lifted, at the "surprise ending" of an historical sketch of the labor movement the convention broke into wild applause. Mr. Gompers, his back to the pedestal and bust, looked with bewilderment for the cause of the demonstration. When his eyes fell upon the bust he was overcome. He sank to his chair and sobbed.

"I may have something to say later," he said after a moment of quiet.

"I must go, no matter what the cost," was Gompers' final answer to those who sought to dissuade him from journeying to the Mexican capital for the inauguration of President Calles.

WANTED TO HELP.

"As long as I have life I want to give what little help I can to aid the workers of Mexico and cheer them in their fight against oppression and autocracy. The inauguration of President Calles is a big moment in their lives and I want to be there to enjoy it with them."

But of the overshadowing conviction among the delegates that President Gompers was in the chair for the last time, grew a deference for the wishes of "the old man" which featured in the most harmonious convention of the federation in its more than forty years' history.

WAS PEACEFUL.

The convention lasted through only eight business days, and for the first time in more than 20 years, there was not a roll call during the entire time. There was little debate on the floor, and all officers were unanimously re-elected. On many issues delegates opposed to Gompers locked their views into their pockets and voted "aye."

"Every man in this convention has a deep-rooted personal regard for the old man and will do all he can to avoid disturbing his peace of mind," one influential figure in the convention told a group of friends informally in the course of a committee meeting.

"I want to see him live as long as he possibly can and die with his boots on, as he wishes."

FUNERAL PLANS.

New York, Dec. 13.—Chaplains of the Elks and the Masons and two rabbis will officiate at the services for Samuel Gompers, in the Elks club here next Thursday, Hugh Frayne, national organizer of the American Federation of Labor, announced tonight in making public arrangements for the funeral of the president of the federation, who died in San Antonio this morning.

CHICAGO TRIBUTE.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Samuel Gompers reached the pinnacle of reward for the work he has done in behalf of organized labor when he was selected as president of the Pan-American Federation of Labor, a tribute to the late labor leader signed by 17 Chicago labor chieftains, declared today.

"No individual or politics, business, finance or other field of activity in the past forty years contributed more to the development of our nation than did Samuel Gompers," the tribute declared. "He stood four-square for the principles upon which our republic is founded."

Among those signing the memorial were John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor and Victor A. Olander, secretary of the Illinois Federation of Labor.

MILITARY ESCORT.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 13.—San Antonio's seen her great processions for the living and she has burried her illustrious dead, but tonight in a manner entirely different, she prepared to give back to the nation a son of toil whom death had loaned her for a fleeting moment.

Strange to the rugged Sam Gompers would he have looked upon them, would he have been the scenes of his funeral cortege as his mortal body was started on its long journey home.

With the pomp of a general, but also with the sentiments of the humble, Labor's late chieftain was to be borne toward the rising sun by a grieving throng.

His last ride in the city of his death was to be on an artillery caisson, and the last escort for the man who had fought all his life, but always in civilian clothes, was to be composed of men in military uniform.

SIXTEEN STOPS.

Sixteen stops are listed on the train's itinerary as it goes to Washington. The first stop will be at Fort Worth tomorrow morning at 7:45 o'clock. From then on the stops in order, will be: Denison, McAlester, Oklahoma, Muskogee, Vinita, Okla., Parsons, Kan.; Sedalia, St. Louis, Mo.; Vincennes, Mitchell, North Vernon, Ind.; Cincinnati, Midland City, O.; Parkersburg, W. Va.; Granton, Cumberland, Md., and then to Washington.

Services will be held in Washington and the body will be taken to New York Wednesday morning, where further services probably will be held and a funeral oration given by some one to be selected. Burial will be in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Tarrytown, N. Y.

ON WAY EAST.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 13—(AP)—The train bearing the body of Samuel Gompers left here tonight at 11:07 for the East.

Lodge Elections.

D. O. K. K.

Officers were elected for Akahad Temple, No. 250, Dramatic order Knights of Khorassan, in meeting Friday night. The following were chosen:

Royal Vizier—Otto Muenchbruch.
Grand Emir—Dan Simon.
Shiek—Herschel Hine.
Mamelu—P. E. Dawson.
Secretary—J. G. Shaffer.
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Sahib—Victor Stein.
Imperial Representative—George Scanlan.

H. J. Webner, M. C. Quinlan and M. K. Smith, together with the above officers will constitute the executive council for the temple.

It is planned to have a ceremonial at the end of January. A drill team and a band are being organized. The band is to be made up of members of subordinate lodges as well as from Decatur.

HIGHT MENTALLY UNSOUND, CLAIM

Defense Says Client Has Alzheimer's Disease.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 13—Alzheimer's disease, a form of cerebral atrophy, probably will be the chief defense in the trial of Lawrence M. Hight, deposed pastor of Ina, Ill., on trial jointly with Mrs. Elsie Sweetin for the poisoning of his wife Anna, and her husband Wilford Sweetin, it was intimated tonight by Nelson Layman, counsel for the former minister. Court was in adjournment the week-end, and will be resumed Monday.

Reports that Hight's attorney was prepared to offer a new and unusual defense have been current since the trial started, and most of them have gone unconfirmed. Layman is said to have admitted that Alzheimer's disease was under consideration, and that an attempt would be made to establish the fact that the former pastor is suffering from this malady.

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Layman has contended from the beginning that his client was mentally irresponsible.

Alzheimer's disease, Layman said today "is as unique and interesting as that of adolescence and adult life. It has its own distinctive pathology, the underlying essential characteristic of which is atrophy. Alzheimer's disease may appear as early as the fortieth year. It shows signs of presence often with projecting mental symptoms of despondency, anxiety, self-absorption, slight mental incapacity, lack of social interest, with diminishing social contrasts."

W. D. DILLDECK DIES NEAR KINCAID

Taylorville, Dec. 13—W. D. Dilldeck, aged fifty-four years, died at 7:30 Friday evening at his home six miles west of Taylorville, after an illness of five weeks. The funeral will be held at the home at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. M. D. Tremaine, pastor of the Kincaid Methodist Episcopal church, and burial will follow in the Universal cemetery.

Mr. Dilldeck was born March 6, 1870, in Fayette county. On April 4, 1895, he married Miss Anna Greenfield, who with the following named children survives him: Mrs. Beesie Stoddard, Bulpitt; Mrs. Addie Hendricks, Harvel, and S. Dilldeck of Bulpitt.

ARREST SUSPECTS IN BANK ROBBERIES

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 13—Charles Green and James Ripley, both of this city, sought by local police for investigation in connection with the $12,000 robbery of the Bank of Columbia at Columbia, Ill., two months ago, are under arrest at Oklahoma City, Okla., according to dispatches received here tonight.

CALIFORNIA PUTS BAN ON POULTRY

Sacramento, Dec. 17—Effective immediately, an embargo was declared today by the State Department of Agriculture on the importation into California of all poultry consisting of chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, pheasants, pigeons and game fowl from the states of South Dakota, Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, and Missouri.

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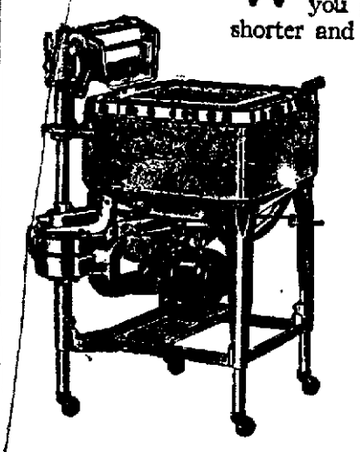

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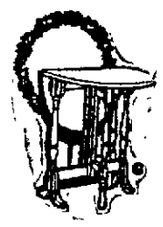

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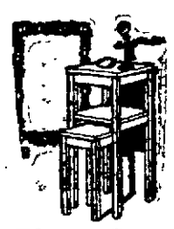

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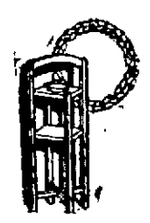

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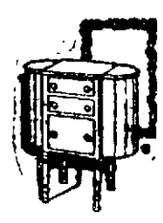
They are finished in mahogany, complete with tray, cigar rest, handle and shelf. See them!



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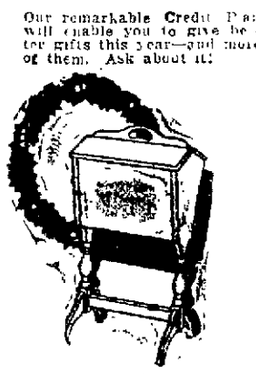

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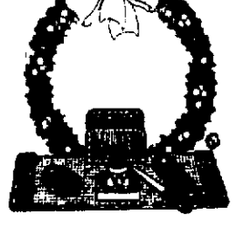

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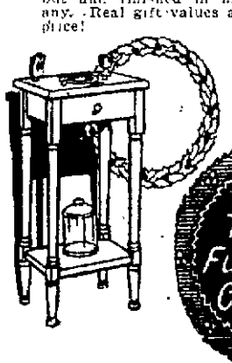

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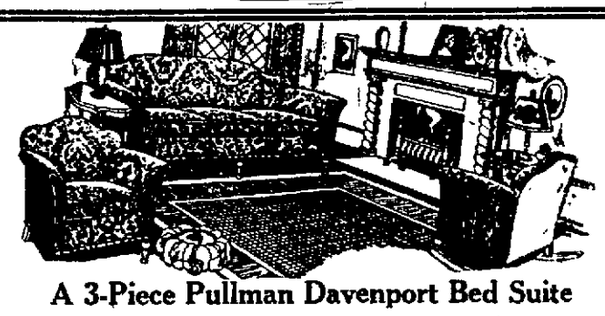
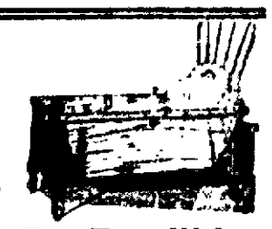
You have your choice of white enamel and gold finishes. These splendid beds have 2-inch continuous posts and substantial fillers. Unusual values at this amazingly low price!

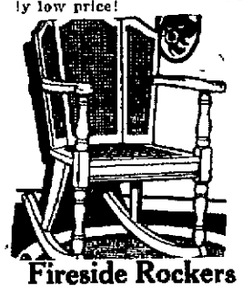


A 3-Piece Pullman Davenport Bed Suite

Just think what joy a living room suite like this will bring to your home on Christmas! All three beautiful pieces are included—davenport, chair and rocker, in a new and distinctive design, with graceful roll arms. The upholstery is rich figured velour of exceptional quality. The suite is priced at $195



Two-Tone Walnut $19.85

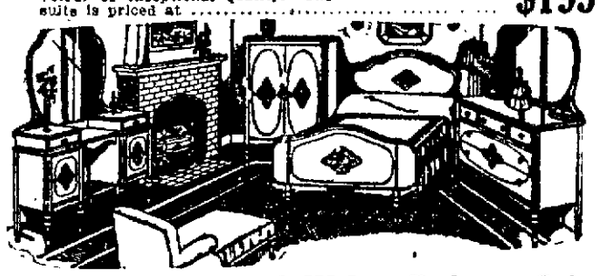


Doll Carriage $8.00

Any little girl will be delighted with such a splendid doll carriage as this! It is made of woven fibre, sturdy and attractively finished with adjustable hood and rubber tires.

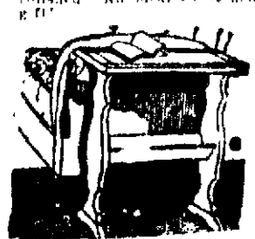
Fireside Rockers $19.50

Attractive fireside rockers in the wing back style, finished in rich mahogany with cane panels. Note the exceptionally low Christmas price! They are most desirable values.



A Beautiful French Walnut Bedroom Suite

This charming suite includes three pieces in a new and distinctive design, finished in beautiful two-tone French walnut. It consists of a full size bow end bed, a large dresser, and a dainty semi-vanity dresser. It is one of the season's finest creations and a most sensational Christmas value at $238



End Tables $6.75

Beautiful end tables at a substantial saving. They are in the Renaissance period style with book trough, finished in beautiful walnut. Buy several for Christmas.

Davenport Tables $16.50

Place one in your home for Christmas! They are in the popular Tudor period style, very well designed and finished in brown mahogany. This price represents a most unusual saving!

Bissell Carpet Sweepers, $4.75

20 Inch Dressed Mama Doll, 98c

Toy Telephone with Bell, 59c

Alabama Coon Jiggers, 49c

Large Spelling Boards, 79c

Climbing Monkeys, 19c

Spinet Desks $28.50

Every woman wants one of these attractive spinet desks for Christmas! They are exquisitely designed, perfectly constructed and finished in either walnut or mahogany.

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"Gray Eye" Arrives To Face Trial For Funkhouser Murder

Tennessee Sheriff Had No Trouble Bringing Missing Link to Shelbyville—Claims $1,000 Reward —Frank Smith Is Hurried to Chester.

(Special To The Review)

Shelbyville, Dec. 13—Sam Houston alias "Gray Eye" and Harry Davis, both Negroes, instantly recognized each other when they were brought together in the Shelby county jail here Saturday evening soon after the former reached this city in the custody of Sheriff N. A. Barger of Bradley county, Ky., to answer to an indictment charging him with the murder of W. L. Funkhouser. Davis is under a similar indictment.

WHISK CONVICT AWAY.

Earlier in the day Frank Smith, the third Negro indicted for complicity in the crime, was found guilty as charged, given a sentence of seventy-five years in the penitentiary and whisked away to Chester to begin the sentence that in all likelihood will terminate only in death.

"GRAY EYE" ARRIVES

Houston, or Cornell, or "Gray Eye," known more familiarly by the latter name by those who have been following the story of the brutal murder of Mr. Funkhouser, Sept. 30, was apprehended by Sheriff Bradley at Cleveland, Tenn., Friday, and upon reporting the capture to Sheriff Harry Riley of this county, was directed to deliver the prisoner to the authorities of this county. This he did about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, bringing his man from Tennessee in irons, following a partial admission on the part of the Negro that he was the man who was wanted here for complicity in Funkhouser's murder.

MISSING LINK.

Arrived here, a meeting between Davis and "Gray Eye" was arranged by Sheriff Riley, and as soon as they confronted one another they recognized the other, thus forming what is taken to be the last link in the chain of identification of "Gray Eye" and connecting him with the murder. The Negroes were not permitted to talk to each other for any length of time, however, and are imprisoned in cells on different floors of the jail.

Questioned by Sheriff Riley, "Gray Eye" practically admitted his complicity in the crime, but a still further test will be made, it is understood, to make certainty doubly sure.

SHERIFF CLAIMS REWARD.

Sheriff Barger, who arrested "Gray Eye" in Cleveland, Tenn., questioned him to the point of wringing from him an admission of his identity and his knowledge that he was wanted in Shelby county, then reported the capture to the Shelby county sheriff and brought the man here, is the claimant of the reward of $1,000 that had been offered by the county boards of Shelby and Coles counties And the Mattoon Journal-Gazette. Sheriff Bradley will remain here for a day or two, and it is understood that he will be paid the reward before his departure for the South.

RED POSTER DID IT.

Sheriff Barger said after his arrival in Shelbyville Saturday evening that the big red poster sent out by the local authorities, offering a reward for "Gray Eye" and carrying his description, was responsible for the Negro's capture.

The sheriff said that one of the posters, which covered the country like a blanket, appeared in the post office at Cleveland, the county seat of Bradley county, and that he saw it there two or three days before the capture of "Gray Eye" Friday morning while walking with another man near the stockyards in Cleveland, the sheriff said he saw a Negro, stooping over, and when the fellow resumed an upright posture he recognized him as the Negro of the poster.

TELL—TALE MARKS.

The stab wounds in the neck and the gray eyes were marks of identification, though the description of weight and size did not tally exactly. The poster said "Gray Eye" was about five feet eight inches in height and weighed about 150 pounds, but in fact the fellow is six feet tall and carries 160 pounds.

HAS BEEN ROAMING.

However, the identification was sufficient to cause the man's arrest, and the admissions obtained from the Negro after he had been taken to the sheriff's office justified the arrest. It is understood that "Gray Eye" partly admitted his identity to Sheriff Barger, and told him that he had roamed over the country considerably since he leaped from the Funkhouser car in East St. Louis, a day or two after the murder, and made his escape.

NO RESISTANCE.

Sheriff Barger had no trouble in bringing the man to Shelbyville. "Gray Eye" made no resistance, and either through ignorance or disinclination made no effort to fight extradition. The sheriff took no chances, however, and "Gray Eye" was handcuffed during the trip to Shelbyville.

LOOKS THE PART.

Sheriff Barger is a typical Tennessean sheriff of the "movies," wearing a wide rimmed hat, is of rugged build and thoroughly looks the part he performs so well.

"Gray Eye" already is under indictment for the murder of Mr. Funkhouser, a true bill having been returned against him at the same time the grand jury indicted Smith and Davis. It is not known, however when he will be arraigned for trial.

Smith Spirited Away To Chester Sentence

Frank Smith's start for the penitentiary to begin the seventy-five year sentence meted to him by the jury which heard his case, was not long delayed beyond the report of the jury. In the custody of Deputy Sheriff Tom Hubner and a special deputy, Charles Sexton, Smith left Shelbyville in a closed car about 3 30 Saturday afternoon for his destination.

A SURPRISE.

Care was taken that his departure was not made public before he was well on his way to Chester, and when it became known it was a surprise to nearly all who had not been taken into the confidence of Sheriff Riley and other authorities, as it was believed he would be retained here long enough at least to confront and make certain the identification of "Gray Eye," who was not many miles distant from Shelbyville at the time Smith was taken away.

It was believed wise, however, to take him to the prison at once.

TRIAL WAS FAIR.

Before his departure, Smith was returned to the circuit court room where earlier in the day he had heard the fateful words that condemned him to a prison cell for the remainder of his natural life, and taken before Judge F. R. Dove, who acted in the absence of the trial court Judge W. B. Wright, who had returned to his home in Effingham.

Speaking kindly but firmly, Judge Dove asked the condemned man if he believed he had received a fair trial and Smith answered in the affirmative. Asked if he was satisfied with the trial and the verdict, the Negro said he was perfecly satisfied

SENTENCE IS JUST.

"The sentence passed upon you is seemingly severe," remarked Judge Dove, "but no sentence a jury could have passed upon you could have been too severe. You have had as just and fair a trial as could have been given a man worth millions."

Smith reiterated his satisfaction with the trial and the verdict, and then Judge Dove formally pronounced the sentence indicated by the jury, and the man was taken away to prepare for the journey that would end only behind the gates of the great stone prison at Menard.

THANKS DEFENSE LAWYERS.

Judge Dove extended the thanks of the court to Attorneys J. J. Baker and A. J. Steidley, who had been appointed to the difficult task of defending the Negro, and who had served as defense counsel absolutely without remuneration for their three days in court, to say nothing of the preliminary work they had performed in preparation for the trial.

GOLF STAR TO WED

The engagement of Miss Alexa Stirling, former women's golf champion, has been announced at her home in Atlanta, Ga. The lucky man is Dr. Wilbert Green Frazier of Ottawa, Canada

SPORTS

BAN JOHNSON FACES CRISIS

Chicago Meeting Will See Foes Very Active.

BY GEORGE CHADWICK.

(Copyright 1924)

New York, Dec. 13—The fight to "get" Ban Johnson, fostered by the National League, probably will come to a head at the proposed joint meeting of the two major leagues in Chicago next Wednesday.

It was in the hope of averting this crisis that the American League, at its annual session here this week, appointed a committee to wait on Commissioner Landis to see whether oil might not be poured on the troubled water.

FACE TROUBLE.

This committee is composed of Messrs. Ruppert, Shibe and Barnard, level-headed men who are not likely to permit the president of their league to be ousted without protest. They might as well make up their minds that they will have a fight of that character on their hands.

If they submit, the National League will rule the roost and any incoming president of the American League will have to sit in the corner with his jaws tightly tied. National League members are elated at the turn things have taken and some of them are boasting they have Johnson on his back at last.

THE CAUSE.

All the rumple and rumpus that have been heard in baseball for the last three weeks is the result of two players being fired from the New York Nationals.

The major leagues were conducting their 1924 championships at a lickety brindle clip, paying no attention to one another when suddenly as the world's series was coming into the offing, O'Connell and Dolan were called into the presence of Commissioner Landis and President Heydler. There O'Connell gave up his now famous story of attempted bribery.

When the president of the American League heard these men had been expelled, he was for having the Washingtons play the world series with the second place Brooklyns and not with New York. He did not advocate abandoning the world series.

WANTED MORE.

Johnson was quoted as saying that the commissioner should sink the probe further than he had. Dreyfuss, of Pittsburgh, also wanted a more thorough investigation and some of the newspapers demanded it. Commissioner Landis had it out with the newspaper men in Washington, and went through the series with a chip on his shoulder.

Matters rested quietly on the surface until just before the meeting of the minor leagues in Hartford, when there was a hurried call to a conference in Chicago and a campaign was set going.

BAN SAYS HE WANTS PEACE

All Is Quiet in Big League Circles Once More.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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New York, Dec. 13.—The season of good will on earth and endorsement of baseball men has spread to President Ban Johnson of the American League.

After the brief joint session of the major leagues here Thursday he blandly announced that the American League would give no one in baseball any concern in the future. Then he went away with friends and another chapter had been written in the little baseball comedy that has been so successfully staged in the last few days.

MEET AGAIN.

Much powder has been fired, the reports are still reverberating in the hills, and the major leagues, after conversing with Commissioner Landis over the long distance telephone, will meet with him in a postponed joint session in Chicago next Wednesday. And that's another good baseball story which goes from New York to the west.

But the joint session was not the only development in the baseball world Thursday. The Boston Red Sox announced that they had transferred McNally, a member of their team for less than twenty-four hours, to Washington in exchange for Prothro.

WAS SURPRISE.

This threw considerable of a surprise into the camp of the New York Yankees, who had parted with McNally to Boston, and the critics began to wonder if Washington had not stolen a little march on the Yankees. For in acquiring McNally, the champions have bolstered up their infield list with a young man who, while no Ruth at bat, is faster than a streak on the infield and may mean more to them than he could possibly mean to the Yanks.

Harry Williams, president of the Pacific Coast league, announces that he will go before Commissioner Landis and ask for a show-down on the gambling charges made against the coast by Ban Johnson. Perhaps it would have been well if that had happened in the first place, as the fight seemed to be between the American league president and the coast, and the other circuits have—and want to have—nothing to do with it.

BORAH RETURNS CAMPAIGN GIFTS

Washington.—Returns to the donors of every dollar contributed to his campaign expenses was reported recently by Senator Borah, Republican of Idaho, in his final statement to the secretary of the senate. The contributions listed include $2,500 from the Republican senatorial campaign committee, which was returned in three installments. An item of $200 sent in by E. Yanish was returned to him Nov. 23.

Total expenditures were $992.47, including $700 turned over to state committees which worked for Mr. Borah's re-election.

U. S. G. Cherry, Democratic candidate for senator in South Dakota, reported contributions of $500 and expenditures of $1,873.69, but listed also four items totaling more than $3,500, which he asserted were "not regarded as expenditures under act of congress." The report gave no details as to the disposition of the added items.

BUILD TOMMY UP FOR JACK

Rickard Starts Campaign for Big Money Fight.

BY SPARROW McGANN.

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New York, Dec. 13—Desperate situations require desperate measures. Just now there is being launched the most desperate and determined campaign that the sport ever saw to replace boxing in the big money class.

Two cards have already been played. The reason for one of the moves in the game, Renault against Romero Rojas, is too deep to dope out at a glance. More about that in a minute.

"WILL BE PLEASED."

But the other one, Gibbons versus Kid Norfolk, seems clear on the face. Tex Rickard, "who had been doubtful about a Dempsey-Gibbons bout will be delighted with Gibbons' great showing. Catch the significance of that?

And the loud chortling of the Madison Square Garden gang over Tommy's great work is further significant. Meantime Dempsey is keeping quiet. It is not Dempsey's move to say anything just yet.

PLEAD FOR BOUT.

For the promoters are not through with Tommy Gibbons He looked good enough against Norfolk to convince those interested in putting boxing back on the list of big earning events that nothing serious will be risked in letting Tommy continue his activities, the fans began to get up on their hind legs and fairly plead for a Dempsey-Gibbons bout.

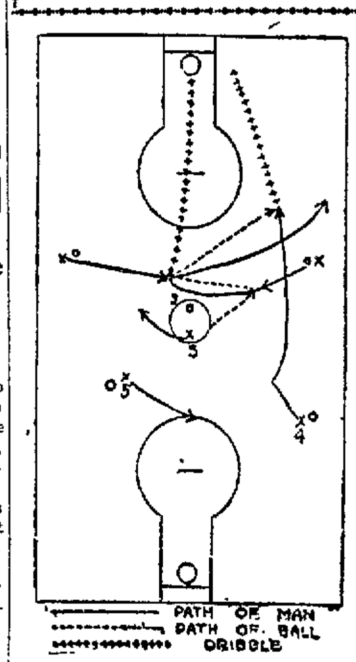
For one thing, Tommy is liable to be seen in Florida before long, in action against a setup and if Charley Weinert beats Jack Sharkey, the Jersey Adonis maye be asked to serve as another rung in the new ladder they are building for Gibbons.

AVOID WILLS.

But whatever is done for Gibbons, it is sure Harry Wills will be avoided. Anyone who knows anything about the ring game has a well defined opinion that Harry would make all sorts of trouble for Dempsey and no one would be unwarrantably suspicious if he suspected that Dempsey and Kearns know it, too.

But Gibbons has gained so many friends through his defeat of Norfolk, and has increased so in size that he has already a large following of admirers. 'So why take chances on a mixed championship bout which is never a very popular event anyway?

Winning Plays of Basketball



By Coach H. B. Ortner. Cornell, Eastern Champions. CENTER-TAP OFF-PLAY.

Center taps to right forward at about 45-degree angle on right side of center. He in turn passes toward left side line and slightly ahead of him to left forward, who meets pass.

From then on three plays are often to left forward He can pivot and give ball to number one by means of a short pass who follows his pass and then makes a legal block by stepping across the path of number one, thereby giving one a clear field to dribble to basket or number one can pass to number four under the basket.

Number two can dribble into basket and shoot if opportunity presents itself, or if number four is free, number two can pass to him as he cuts down the right side of the court.

Number five takes care of the defense on this by crossing over to the foul line in defensive territory while center number three follows behind the play and acts as another man to pass to in case number two cannot pass to the other players going into basket thereby keeping possession of ball. With practice and timing correctly this play can be used very effectively because it opens up so many ways of scoring a goal at it.

Number two follows behind number four in case he passes to him on the right side so that there is always a man just back of the ball for a pass.

Number three the center waits on the defense till he is sure ball is not in opponent's hand.

PENN SQUAD, 34 STRONG, TO COAST

Philadelphia, Dec. 13—Plans were completed today for the trip of the University of Pennsylvania football team, which meets the University of California in the Tournament of Roses Bowl at Berkely on New Year's Day. The entire varsity squad of 34 men will be taken on the trip.

The team and a small band of rooters will leave here on Dec. 20 in a special train, the baggage car of which will be equipped with shower baths.

TRIED OUT YELLS IN DE PAUW GAME

Contest Is Raging for New Ones At U. of I.

Champaign, Dec. 13.—A few of the yells which will be judged in the contest next week were tried out at the DePauw Illinois' game Saturday night.

A plan was carried out whereby all students in public speaking classes wrote and gave a yell in class last week as an assignment. This added fifty yells to the contest, one hundred and fifty yells are now entered.

Robert Tower, chairman of the committee in charge of the contest, announced that all yells must be in by Dec 15. The winners will be announced the latter part of next week.

There have been ten songs turned in and many more are being written. The final date for songs is Jan. 15.

OPERATE MONDAY ON UNCLE WILBERT

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NO. 668—Ford Touring. Good tires; fine running condition $75

NO. 661 Overland Roadster, 1922, repainted; reconditioned delivery body on back $275

NO. 663—Ford Touring; good tires; good running condition. A real bargain at $50

NO. 660—OVERLAND 90 Touring; fine running condition $100

NO. 656—Overland, 1922, Touring. Only run six thousand miles; fine condition; fine tires; fine appearance $275

NO. 655—Ford four-door Sedan, 1923, repainted; all good tires. A real buy at .. $500

NO. 650—Overland Touring, 1921, fine running condition; repainted. A bargain at $150

NO. 646—Overland Sedan, repainted; good tires; good condition $375

NO. 640—Chevrolet Touring, 1923, Superior model: repainted; fine mechanical condition. Good tires $275

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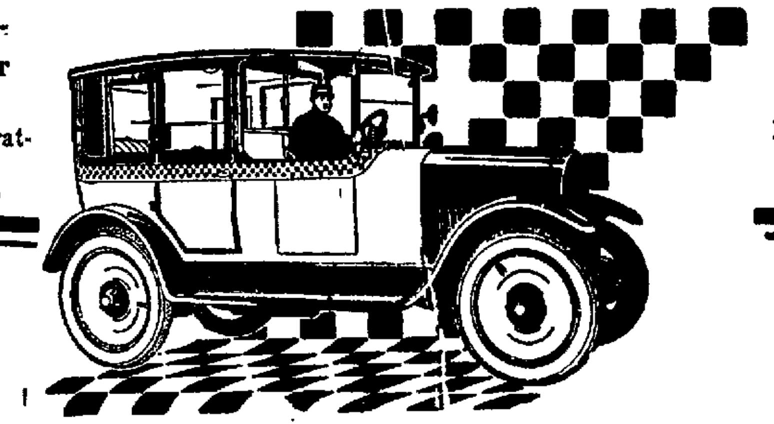
—12— Checker Cabs Now Operating in Decatur



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Five Can Now Ride in Checker Cabs for the Price of One 50c

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Starting today, Sunday, Dec. 14, FIVE Passengers can ride in a CHECKER CAB for the same price as one. This action is taken at the beginning of the holiday season when the need of taxicabs becomes most urgent.

This is the first time in taxicab history in Decatur that the largest and safest taxicab company has attempted to make a rate as low as this.

To the thousands of Decatur residents this announcement should be welcome news. You want Checker Cab Service—you want Checker Cab safety—you want the careful attention Checker Cab drivers give you—and when we make a fare almost as low as street car or bus fare for this kind of service, we do not believe there is much left to be desired.

Volume of Business Our Big Aim

Perhaps you will wonder why we have abolished the extra fare charge. It costs us no more to haul five passengers than it does one. Therefore we will give Checker Cab patrons in Decatur the benefit of this lowered cost of taxicab riding. Volume of business is our chief aim—the more calls we make the greater the growth of Checker Cab Service in Decatur.

We want your patronage—all of it—that is why we make this low passenger rate appeal to you. Think of it! The best and safest taxicab service in Decatur is now at your command for almost street car or bus fare when there are five persons in your party. Forget the worries of parking or driving. Call a Checker Cab—the cost is less than driving your own car.

The loyal patronage of the visitors and citizens of Decatur is a thing we hold sacred, a thing apart from business. Every one of us want to extend a full measure of appreciation through serving you better and more often.
We Thank You!

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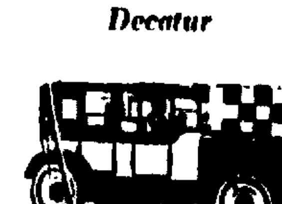

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CALIFORNIA SLAPS DOWN NEW BANS ON JAP LABORERS

Supreme Court Upholds State Law.

BY LEE OVERMAN.

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San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13—The decision of the United States supreme court [illegible] upholding the validity [illegible] contract provisions [illegible] alien land law [illegible] of Japanese [illegible] who are [illegible] [illegible] to Japanese [illegible] have been [illegible] legality in a [illegible] basis—admittedly [illegible] the drastic [illegible] contracting [illegible] wage [illegible]

TOLD TO SURRENDER

The [illegible] consulate here since the supreme court decision has [illegible] them to quit [illegible] both of [illegible] [illegible] Japanese [illegible] Nippon [illegible] official in [illegible] several [illegible] to accept whatever punishment in the way of fines and jail sentences the California law metes out.

BOAT HELPLESS IN GREAT LAKES GALE

Efforts to Aid Vessel Fail.

Waukegan Ill Dec 13—All efforts to go to the rescue of what was believed to be a large fishing boat drifting helplessly without power across Lake Michigan, failed today

A small boat from Great Lakes attempted to go to the rescue, but high seas made it necessary to turn back

A navy seaplane was badly damaged in an effort to take off, and the gale made it too dangerous to make further attempts.

FIND WRECKAGE.

Houghton Mich, Dec 13—Discovery of quantities of wreckage washed ashore near Eagle Harbor on the Keweenaw peninsula is believed by coast guard officers there to show the loss of a freighter in today's violent storm The coast guard is maintaining a patrol along the lakeshore but aside from the finding of additional wreckage nothing has developed to throw any light on the mystery.

WHEEL TAX REFERENDUM

Plan to Finance Street Maintenance in Capital

Springfield Dec 13—Members of the Springfield Automobile club representative of the approximately 9,000 automobile owners in the city are to give the public [illegible] opinion on a proposed wheel tax for the maintenance of the streets. The twelve hundred club members will give their views by a referendum vote to be taken during the week of January 2

OPIUM CONFERENCE FAILS TO AGREE

Parley Disbands Without Decision.

Geneva, Dec. 13—The first opium conference, whose membership is confined to opium-producing countries, adjourned sine die this evening without the agreement and protocol over which there has been much contention, having been signed.

It was expected that the final signatures would be attached to the document today, but at the last moment Sir Malcolm Delevinge of Great Britain declared that inasmuch as the subject of prepared opium had been broached at the Rome session of the council of the League of Nations he was under instructions to wait until he heard from Foreign Secretary Chamberlain before signing

HINTS AT TRICKS

Representative Bourgeois of France also announced that he too, was unable to sign, and Alfred Sze, of China said

"I should like to remark that for ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, the first conference is peculiar"

When the laughter had subsided an adjournment was taken to await the answers of Great Britain and France

The second conference will meet Monday

AUTOS TO APPEAR IN GAY SHADES

Manufacturers Announce Bright Colors.

BY JOHN COSBY.
(Copyright 1924)

Detroit Mich, Dec 13—Herds of pink elephants and green giraffes with red spots could be no more gaudy than the spectacle the highways of America will present next year For motor car manufacturers are throwing caution to the winds so far as paint is concerned, and are giving prospective owners the chance for self expression in every shade and color the spectrum contains

"The public is tired of riding in a hearse"

DECIDED CHANGE

That is the way Harry M Jewett president of the Paige Detroit company expresses it So manufacturers are going to give the public a chance to ride in a circus band wagon if it wants to There already has been a decided turn to the brighter colors by body finishers and this will become far more pronounced after the first of the year

One of the burning questions to be settled by the automobile trade in 1925 besides the one of flaming colors, is the price trend of open models. The past year was marked by the lowering of closed car prices In some cases they were dropped even below the open car levels

Local Notices

ORANGES! ORANGES! ORANGES!
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Car load to choose from Leave your orders at 341 N Main North St and I C Railroad, or 614 N Water St Free delivery. I A Hendricks.

I wish to announce to my friends that I have severed my connections with the Great Eastern Tea and Coffee Co and am now in the coffee department of the Cash Market Will appreciate your patronage Signed, Wm. B Cherry.

LEARN MARCEL WAVING
And beauty culture new class Dec 15 enroll now Mrs Heller's Beauty School, 136 South Water, ground floor.

SEND YOUR CURTAINS
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BURGLARS WORK IN THICK LONDON FOG

Weather Sees Increase in Crime.

BY A G GARDINER
(Copyright 1924)

London Dec 13—London [illegible] of dreadful night this week The most severe fog experienced in many years has enveloped the city in darkness and has seriously paralyzed the activities of life

The only industry which has prospered under its reign is that of buglary which has been extraordinarily epidemic in the wealthier parts of the city The new name coined for these exploits "Ca burglaries" is descriptive of the method adopted

Under cover of darkness the burglars swarm up water pipes attached to houses and enter bedrooms during the dinner hour Many valuable hauls of jewelry have been secured and conditions are such that criminals invariably have escaped with their booty

100 MILLION HALF ENOUGH FOR PAVING

State Senator Kessinger Says People Voted in Ignorance.

Chicago Dec. 13—State Senator Harold K Kessinger of Aurora declared at a luncheon for Republican senators here today that the $100,000,000 bond issue approved at the last election "will not pay for half the roads proposed"

"The people will not get half the roads they expect under the $100,000,000 bond issue," he said, "if things are allowed to drift there will be taxation to cover the additional cost.

NOT UNDERSTOOD

The people voted for the roads not for the bonds They wanted the roads and voted without any understanding of the meaning of the $100,000,000 bond issue It was not so many years ago that Illinois was free from debt, while other states were overburdened But today we have a bonded debt of $235,000,000"

Plans for the improvement of the state's system of charitable institutions was discussed by Lieut-Gov Fred E. Sterling who said that he hoped a complete building program would be worked out

I don't believe in enlarging the present institutions he said but in the building of new ones where they are needed Particularly I have in mind the need for a new insane hospital somewhere in northern Illinois

FUNERALS.

Mrs M D Oakleaf—At 2 30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Dawson & Wikoff chapel.

L M Bundy—At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the United Brethren church in Oakley

Mrs. Louise M Abbott—At the Dawson & Wikoff chapel Monday afternoon

ENGLISH PROS ARE HAVING GOOD LUCK

Duncan and Mitchell Have Fine Start.

BY RAY McCARTHY
(Copyright, 1924)

St. Augustine, Fla, Dec 13—George Duncan and Abe Mitchell the touring English professionals have made a fine start on their swing through the south and to the coast by way of Texas Tomorrow they face Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen over the 36 hole route here and this match has aroused interest in Great Britain as well as here in the states

The Britons leave for the Pacific Coast immediately after Sunday's match stopping off at Dallas Texas on December 17 and arriving in California on December 20 They apparently are thoroughly acclimated to the south, judging from their victory over Bobby Jones and Francis Quimet of Asheville and their brilliant losing fight against Johnny Farrell and Bobby Cruickshank

WISH THEM LUCK.

Ted Ray and Harry Vardon British professionals and Harold Hilton British amateur the only three Britishers who have scored in the United States open and United States amateur championships since 1900 cabled Duncan and Mitchell this week wishing them luck in their match against Hagen and Gene

The southland is rapidly becoming the bulk of northern professionals Gene Sarazen Johnny Farrell after Hagen Joe Kirkwood Leo Diegel and Cruickshank are already below the Mason Dixon line Jim Barnes Mike Brady Tommy Armour, Bill Potts and MacDonald Smith are expected to join the southern colony any day.

PUBLIC SALES TO BE HELD

Dec [illegible] Jared Tuscola [illegible]
W P Dehruler Lindley Dec [illegible]
Dec 19—A J Hawver (Ben [illegible]) on Isaac Hawver farm [illegible] Property [illegible]

WOULD SEND MAIL BY ARTILLERY

Berlin—Last week a curious investigator discovered as reported in these dispatches that Charles XII of Sweden anticipated gas warfare by more than two centuries And now comes another delver into past days with the discovery that the German poet Heinrich von Kleist who killed himself somewhat more than a century ago proposed in 1810 the creation of a bomb post

Kleist's idea was that bombs loaded with newspapers letters and other post should be shot from artillery station to station, opened at each place, the post for that station removed post for other points inserted and then fired farther In this way he declared letters could be sent from Berlin to Stettin or Breslau in a half day against the five days required by couriers or [illegible]

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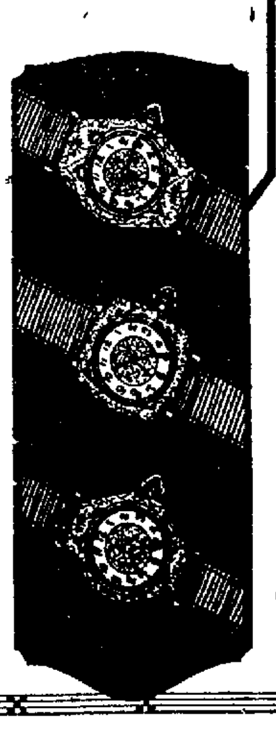

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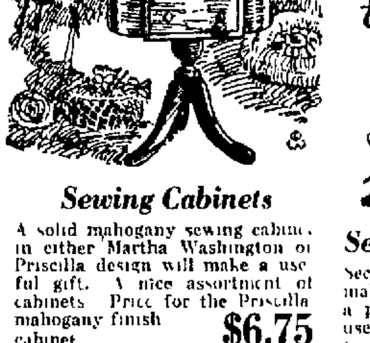

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Net Losses Numerous Despite Buoyant Appearance Of Market

Week's Stock Range Shows up Spotty

West Inclined To Optimism As Business and Finance Stays Strong.

BY STUART P. WEST.
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New York Dec 13—Looking over the stock exchange list in comparison with a week ago it will be surprising to the ordinary observer how many net losses there have been. The market has given the outward appearance of buoyancy. Much has been said about the growing business of the country and all the way up to the chief executive predictions have been made regarding future prosperity.

The writer has no disposition to take an opposite view. The elements underlying business and finance are unquestionably strong. There is no inflation in commodity prices or strain upon bank credit the way there was five years ago. There is no over production or over supply of goods on hand. More than this it should be ... regardless of differing ... des that the outcome of the November elections was pleasing from the Wall street viewpoint. It ... the pledge that nothing radical would be done in the way of legislation that the whole tendency would be to reduce rather than increase individual and corporate taxes and ... the provisions of the ... of 1920 guaranteeing ... income would ... be ... turbed.

MOST VALID RISE

All this made up surrounding ... calculated to produce ... upward ... movement ... concert with the so called Wall Street insiders ... stimulated and ... likewise the outside public in greater degree than at any time since the spring of 1920. But as against this was the fact that prices rose ten fifteen and twenty points within little more than a month and that nothing more violent has been seen in a similar space of time in all the history of Wall street.

There was no question that the upward movement which went on during the greater part of November and at the start of December was well founded. But there was a question as to whether this upswing had not been excessive that is had ... gone too far in discounting a trade expansion which was expected but which had only begun to show. The market during the last week has been endeavoring to answer this question and the result is that quite a part of the list is lower despite the surface indications of great activity on the side of advance.

Outside the stock exchange the chief incidents were the new high prices for wheat and corn the advance in money rates the new high record for the year in sterling exchange and the moderate although significant drop in the French franc.

REASONS FOR ADVANCE CLEAR

There is nothing new in the grain trade. The simple reason why prices have been climbing is that the corn supply is undoubtedly short and the wheat supply in countries competing with the United States is below the average. At the same time Europe's ability to buy is greater than at any time since the war. The cotton position has become increasingly interesting with the publication of the latest bureau figures estimating a crop of over 13 000 000 bales as compared with less than 12 500 000 at the beginning of October. There was a carry-over from last season of more than 2 000 000 bales thus bringing up the supply in sight to more than 15 000 000 as against the actual consumption domestic and foreign last year of 12 500 000 bales.

The statistics consequently are all against higher cotton prices. But the market has been sustained by the hope that in the first place Europe after the recent changes will be able to do more buying and in the second place that in the course of general prosperity at home there will be a heavier demand at better prices for cotton goods.

FEELING THE PRESSURE

It was not altogether clear how far the higher money rates were due to the temporary influence of the big investment operations that were being put through more especially the French loan and the new issue of United States treasury four percents and how far they were reflecting the Wall street speculation. There was perhaps more reason to suspect the latter as the main influence.

The bank statements of the last two weeks have shown an increasing dependence upon the facilities of the federal reserve institution and they have shown a moderate decline in reserve ratios. But there is of course no comparison with periods like November 1919 where there was an over expansion of credit. The most that can be said at the present time is that the money market has begun to feel the pressure of the larger speculative demands but not as yet to any serious degree.

POUND WILL REACH PAR

At the high point of the week sterling had risen over 17 cents from where it stood just before the British elections. An advance of similar amount would bring the pound back to par. The prediction of restoring to par does not appear at all too-far fetched. The notable fact is that sterling has been able to go up the way it has during the last month and a half in face of the preparations for meeting the semi annual installments on the American war debt which on previous occasions has proved a depressing influence.

The marking up of the Bank of France discount rate from six percent to seven was another extraordinary episode. It was recognizing the truth that the failure of all efforts to deflate the French paper currency is the most vital thing in the French financial situation at the present time. It was of particular significance coming immediately after the floating of the new American loan.

RAIL STOCKS ARE LEADERS

Securities Hold Center of Stage Among Investments.

BY BYRON SELLER
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New York Dec 13—Railway securities have again held the center of the stage in this week's investment market. For the most part it has been speculative obligations in which interest has been concentrated.

Probably the most important development was the giving of consent by the interstate commerce commission to the acquisition by the Missouri Pacific of the New Orleans Texas and Mexico. This was in accord with the commission's tentative plan for consolidations and it might have been expected that approval would be given but until the decision was actually rendered the financial community did not feel at all certain about the outcome. The importance of this decision is that it seems to point to favorable action on some of the other combinations now being planned of which the most important is the Nickel Plate group.

STIMULATES BUYING

The result was to stimulate buying of the various obligations of the roads concerned in this and other consolidations. There is great danger here that speculative enthusiasm will go too far. Economies in operation and increasing traffic may reasonably be expected from these voluntary mergers but in the last analysis the investment merit of any security rests first on the value of the property on which it was a lien and second on its earning power.

These fundamentals are too often overlooked by those who assume that when you marry a weak road to a strong road the securities of the former are at once raised to the investment plane of the latter.

RUMOR OTHERS

Accompanying the discussions already underway there have been many rumors of others under prospect. Whether true or false such rumors help along a speculative movement but the prudent investor will be wary about going along with the current. This is not meant to minimize the importance of the very real improvement in general railroad conditions.

Taking the class one railroads operating revenues for October showed a decrease of 2.6 percent under the same month a year ago. Operating expenses however were reduced 9.4 percent under those for October 1923 so that the net operating income for all these roads in October was $127 10_ 100, compared with $103 773 700 in October of last year. This net operating income by which is meant what is left after the payment of operating expenses taxes and equipment rentals, but before interest and other fixed charges was the largest this October for any month since August 1918. On this basis an upward movement in railway securities is entirely logical. It is a mistake however not to discriminate between the prosperous and the non-prosperous between the strong and the weak, just as it is a mistake to assume that mergers will work miracles.

BONDS NEGLECTED

To illustrate the present condition there are a number of cases where railroad stocks are selling to yield no more and in a few instances less than the senior securities of the same roads. Railroad bonds of assured investment status returning from 5½ to 6 percent have been neglected to buy stocks which at prevailing dividend rates and markets prices give the investor a smaller income. Of course the explanation is and within limits it is a correct explanation that the market price of the stock is fixed not by the present dividend but by what may reasonably be expected in the future earnings considered.

IS DANGEROUS

This is a common place of all speculation and yet it is exactly what makes speculation dangerous. The future does not always turn out the way rosy dreams of the speculator paint it. Meanwhile shrewd buyers may profitably pick up the new neglected investment obligations.

The investment situation with the utilities is very similar to that in railroad securities. Sound utility preferred stocks are to be had yielding from 6½ to 7 percent while the common stocks of the same utilities are being bid up to unheard of prices justified perhaps by reported earnings but entirely unattractive from the standpoint of present income. If the outlook is so bright and the financial condition of these companies is so strong as the quotations for their common stocks would indicate the preferred stocks are on the bargain counter. True the preferred stocks have limited possibilities of price appreciation but they are a great deal safer.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago Dec 13 Demand for cash wheat here was good today especially for red which was quoted 13@13½ cents over December delivery for No 1. Prices finished ... cent better. The trading basis was ... cent better for red and ... for hard and spring grades. Shipping sales here were 18 000 bushels. There were ... of 2_ 000 bushels to go to store. ... failed to report any business ... said Germany and the United Kingdom were good buyers. Deliveries were 10 000.

Corn was unchanged to 1 cent better with the trading basis unchanged ... 1 cent ... for all grades and ... to 1 cent off on the new. Shipping sales here were 10 000 bushels. Vessel room was chartered for 50 000 bushels corn to Buffalo. Deliveries were 7 000 bushel.

Oats finished ... cent better while the trading basis was unchanged to ½ cent ... for No 2 white and unchanged to ¼ cent up on No 3 white. Shipping sales here were 90 000 bushels and deliveries 41 000 bushels.

New York Cash Market.

New York Dec 13—WHEAT—Spot firm. No 1 dark northern spring c i f New York lake and rail $1 99. No 2 hard winter fob ... and rail $1 79¼. No 2 mixed durum do $1 78. No 1 Manitoba do in bond $1 90.

CORN—Spot steady. No 2 yellow c i f track New York all rail $1 40. No 2 mixed do $1 44¼.

OATS—Spot steady. No 2 white 68@68.

Horses and Mules.

St Louis Dec 13—Native Horse Quotations—Good to choice drafts $125@175. medium to good drafts $80@125. good to choice chunks $60@85. medium to good chunks $40@60. choice Southern horses $80@145. fair to good Southern horses $30@45. smooth mouthed Southerners $20@60. plugs $5@15.

Mule Quotations—Draft mules 16 to 17 hands $175@225. sugar mules 16 to 1_ hands $10_@200. mine mules 13 to 15 2 hands $125@150. top cotton mules 1_ to 16 hands $140@175. cotton mules 1_ to 1_ 2 hands $80@140, small cheap mules $5@65.

GRAIN PRICES ARE UNSETTLED

Selling Wipes Out All Advances to New Records.

Chicago, Dec 13—New heights for this season were reached today by prices of all deliveries of wheat corn and oats but selling chiefly to realize profits and to bring about weekend adjustment of accounts resulted in complete wiping out of the advance.

Wheat closed nervous at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅝c lower. May $1 67¾ to $1 67⅞ and July $1 47⅞ to $1 47½. corn exchanged to 1⅛c down oats ⅛c to ⅜c off and provisions varying from 2c decline to 20c gain.

UP AND DOWN

Notwithstanding that enlarged selling forced the wheat market backward several times every such reaction except the last was quickly followed by a dearth of offerings by increased efforts to purchase and by a fresh upturn of values. It was said that a considerable portion of the demand for future deliveries of wheat came from European sources.

One of the items which also attracted special notice in connection with the rallies was the fact that domestic primary arrivals of wheat this week amounted to only 7 56_ 000 bushels as compared with 12 997 000 bushels last week.

REASON FOR SELLING

Preparations for any surprise in the government crop report on Tuesday next were said to have been responsible for part of the selling today at the last. On the other hand leading buyers professed a belief that the world will see an extremely tight situation in foodstuffs before the end of the crop year that day by day developments were to be taken as relatively unimportant and ordinary fluctuations ignored.

Corn and oats values were weakened by a forecast that although the United States visible supply total on wheat the corn figure will expand.

Provisions averaged slightly higher in line with the hog market.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis Dec 13—WHEAT—Receipts 384 cars. cash 1 northern $1 ...@1 ... 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1 ...@1 59¼. good to choice $1 ...@... 1 dark ... hard Montana on track $1 61⅛@1 75¼. to arrive $1 61⅛@1 ... December $1 61¼. May $1 0_⅞.

CORN—3 yellow $1 22@1 25.

OATS—3 white 5_¼c.

FLOUR—Unchanged to 10c higher.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria Ill Dec 13—CORN—Receipts 10_ cars. 1½c to 2c up. 4 white $1 20. 5 white $1 18½. 4 yellow $1 19@1 20. 5 yellow $1 16½@1 17½. ... yellow $1 14@1 13½. 4 mixed $1 _0. 5 mixed $1 1_@1 1_. 6 mixed $1 14½. sample grade $1 13.

OATS—Receipts 7 cars. inactive. nothing doing.

St. Louis Grain.

St Louis Dec 13—WHEAT—2 red $1 84@1 8_. 3 red $1 81@1 84.

CORN—2 white $1 25. 2 yellow $1 27.

OATS—2 white 60@60½c. 3 white 59¼@5_ ¼c.

CLOSE WHEAT—December $1 02. May $1 6_⅜.

CORN—December $1 24⅝. May $1 30¼@1 30⅝.

OATS—December 59¼c. May 65c.

MUCH CORN MOVES TOWARD TERMINALS

Grading Slightly Better Than Two Weeks Ago.

H I Baldwin's weekly market letter says:

"Fine weather plus reasonably good wagon roads plus other farm work well out of the way plus advancing and attractive prices are the basis for a continuing and increasing movement of corn to market. A man who calls on many farmers from day to day reports that the greater part are found away from home helping some neighbor haul his corn to the country elevator. Country elevators often running nights to care for their daily run of corn. Evidently Illinois is at present furnishing a goodly portion of the corn that is now reaching terminal markets of the Middle West.

"Some Eastern and Southern consumers of corn who have been indifferent buyers up to now are wondering if they had not better accumulate a reasonable stock of corn while this movement is on and one notes a slightly better demand from same but the Mecca to which by far the larger part of King Korn's subjects are now headed is Chicago.

GRADING

Corn is grading slightly better than two weeks ago only an occasional car of number three ... majority get into the number four grade. Of course as this ... leaves the grade will improve as other grading qualities are excellent. Much of our local dealers prospective corn profits have been swallowed up in discounts exacted by the buyer on account of an excess of moisture.

Oats will have to take their turn after this corn movement is out of the way. Most signs indicate better demand after the Holidays.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City Dec 13—WHEAT—2 hard $1 ...@1 70. ... red $1 73@1 76. December $1 51 asked. May $1 5_. July $1 41⅛ asked.

CORN—3 white $1 18@1 18½. 3 yellow $1 1_@1 19. 3 yellow $1 15@1 18¼. mixed $1 17½. December $1 18¼ bid. May $1 2_⅜ bid. July $1 24⅜ ... bid.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo Dec 13—CLOVER SEED—Cash $19 90. new $19 05. December $19 ... January $19 20.

TIMOTHY SEED—Cash and December $3 2_. March $3 40 asked.

New York Cotton.

New York Dec 13—Cotton Futures opened steady. December 23 10 offered. January 23 10. March 23 50. May 23 85. July 24 02.

SPOT COTTON—Quiet. middling 23 00.

Futures closed steady. December 23 07@... January 23 1_@23 19. March 23 35 to 23 50. May 23 90@23 91. July 24 00.

BUTTER MARKET

Chicago Dec 13 ... day ... steady ... Trading was ... [illegible]

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Centralized carlots ... [illegible]

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37 American Can	148¾	147⅝	147¾
23 Am Car & Foundry	184⅞	180¾	184½
1 Am Inter Corp			
29 Am Locomotive	88	88	88¼
Am Smelt & Ref	87⅛	87½	
178 American Sugar	51⅛	50¼	[illegible]
Am Tel & Tel	133⅛	132¾	133⅛
Am Tobacco	85	84	85
19 Am Woolen	61½	60⅞	61⅛
31 Anaconda Copper	42⅝	42	
56 Atch Top & San Fe	118	117	117¼
1 Atlantic Coast Line			
41 Baldwin Locomotive	123⅞	123⅜	123⅞
112 Baltimore & Ohio	79½	78	79
13 Bethlehem Steel	48⅝	48⅛	48½
1 California Petroleum	22⅝	21¾	24½
3 Canadian Pacific	150⅞		
6 Central Leather pfd	51	50	51
10 Cerro de Pasco	54½	54¼	
91 Chandler Motor	98⅜	96¼	96⅛
42 Chesapeake & Ohio	30	29⅝	34
2 Chicago & Northwn	46¼	45	45½
44 Chi Rock I & Pac	34⅝	34¼	
11 Chile Copper	82½	81¾	
10 Coca Cola	41¾	41	41¼
104 Congoleum Co	78¼	78¼	78½
13 Consolidated Gas	4½	4⅜	
24 Consolidated Textile	65⅞	64¼	
41 Continental Can	42	41¼	41⅞
3 Corn Products	28⅜	24½	20
27 Cosden Oil	73	71	72
13 Crucible Steel	37⅞		
1 Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	60		
13 Cuban Am Sugar	43	42¼	42½
32 Davison Chemical	135	134¼	
123 Dupont de Nem	33½	32¾	32¾
69 Erie	95	94½	9
31 FamousPlay Lasky	58⅝	57	58⅝
8 General Asphalt	27	27	27
51 General Electric	81	80⅞	81
10 General Motors	71⅛	71¼	71⅛
1 Great Northern pfd	81½		
50 Gulf States Steel	78	73⅝	77¼
31 Houston Oil	116⅜	11	11
11 Illinois Central	107½	106¼	1
2 Inter Harvester	14⅝	44¼	41
Inter Mer Mar pfd	14⅞	14	14¼
11 Invincible Oil	17⅝	17½	17⅝
44 Kennecott Copper	51	50	51
73 Mack Truck	115⅞	114	
157 Marland Oil	38	37⅞	37⅞
7 Middle States Oil	1½	1⅜	1½
67 Mo Kan & Tex	31	30⅝	31
7 Mo Pacific pfd	71¾	70⅝	
20 New York Central	117⅞	116⅝	116⅝
53 N Y N H & Hartfd	29½	29¼	
21 Norfolk & Western	124¼	123¾	123
13 Northern Pacific	70⅝	69	
121 Pacific Oil	52½	50⅝	52
186 Pan Am Pet B	57	51⅝	57
11 Pennsylvania	48¾	48⅝	
82 Phillips Petroleum	36⅝	34½	36⅝
7 Producers & Refiners	28	23	28
94 Pure Oil	29⅞	28⅞	29½
119 Reading	71⅞	69⅞	71
2 Republic I & Steel	58	55⅞	56
11 St Louis Southwn	52⅞	52	
1 Seaboard Air Line	22⅝		
7 Seaboard Air L pfd	41⅝	40⅝	
4 Sears Roebuck	139¾	139	
65 Shell Union Oil	21⅝	20⅞	21⅝
38 Sinclair Con Oil	16½	15⅝	16½
25 Southern Pacific	103	102⅝	103
77 Southern Ry	78	77⅝	
5 Southern Ry pfd	81¾		
85 Standard Oil of Cal	61⅝	60½	61⅜
88 Standard Oil N J	37½	36⅞	37⅝
37 Stewart Warner	64⅞	64	64⅞
202 Studebaker Corp	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝
2 Tennessee Copper	8⅝		
27 Texas Company	42⅛	41⅞	42⅛
24 Texas & Pacific	46¾	45⅝	46⅛
4 Tobacco Products	70½	70⅞	
38 Transcontinental Oil	4	3⅞	4
12 Union Pacific	147½	147¼	147½
10 U S Cast Iron Pipe	138½	136½	
42 U S Ind Alcohol	84¼	82½	83½
95 U S Rubber	40⅝	39	40½
70 U S Steel	117⅞	117¼	117½
1 Utah Copper	84		
18 Westinghouse Elec	69⅞	68⅞	69
4 Willys Overland pfd	74	73⅞	74

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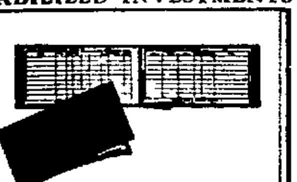

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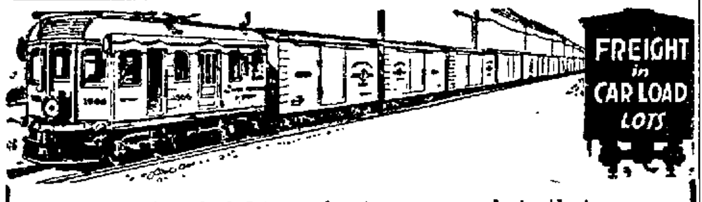

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No, this is not a list of exhibitors at the World's Fair. It is only a few of the foreign firms that use Kork-N-Seal caps made by the Williams Sealing Corporation.

GO EVERYWHERE.

Last week we learned that all over the world flies are victims of Decatur swatters. Well, if any province, villayet, banate or other puzzle-word geographical division is not reached by the Central City fly killers, then it is pretty sure to be by the Williams bottle caps. And so Decatur must have a civilizing influence in every section of the world.

The gin company and the Chinese account require a million caps a year, or an entire carload each. They are getting up to date in Argentine, too. Last week an order came from the biggest drug company in Rosario.

CAP EVERYTHING.

What products are capped by the little Decatur device? Everything from embalming fluid to shampoo, Heinz goods, Nujol, vinegar, Boycelte, Dyanshine, patent medicines. The local company is just beginning to break into the motor oil and varnish business, furnishing caps for lubricants put up in large cans. The nozzles as well as the caps are made here, and the former are supplied to the big can companies to be soldered on the cans. These patented nozzles are the non-drip kind, permitting the liquids to be poured without running all over the car.

TEST LINING.

The lining of the caps are tested for the various products that they are to be used with, the containers being placed upside down for long periods at the Decatur factory so as to ascertain the effect of the cap lining on the products. Sometimes material other than cork must be used, in order to prevent deleterious effects. But in every case the test is made beforehand, to prevent unfavorable results.

Business thus far this month has been such that one of the busiest months in the history of the company is indicated. The factory is now working at capacity.

ADOLPH MUELLER BACK MONDAY

Has Been At Brass Association Meeting.

Adolph Mueller, who has been in New York for about two weeks attending the convention of the National Brass association, is expected back in Decatur Monday.

The Mueller company is working almost to capacity at the present time. Several new men have been put on the rolls during the past week in addition to others previously hired.

Construction on the new regulator shop is progressing rapidly, work now being done on the second floor.

WANT CURB ON CHICAGO FUND

Springfield, Dec. 13—Legislation to prevent Chicago schools from "getting a disproportionate share of the state and federal funds used to reimburse school boards of the state," is urged by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Francis G. Blair, in the annual report of the state board for vocational education which has been submitted to Governor Small. Mr. Blair points out that he made a similar recommendation last legislature, but that it was refused.

Mr. Blair's report was in part as follows:

"It will be seen that of the total amount of $485,184.25 of state and federal funds used to reimburse the school boards of the state, Chicago received $214,041.12 or 44.1 per cent. If it were not for the work in vocational agriculture and vocational home economics, the proportion of this fund which would go to Chicago would be much greater.

"In trades and industrial education there was expended for the year covered by this report $259,631.34. Of that amount Chicago received $196,201.29, or 75.6 per cent.

COMMODITY NOTES

IRON AND STEEL.

Cleveland—Iron and steel operations in this section now is at about 75 percent of capacity with plants prepared to make further advances after the turn of the year. Ore shipments to Dec. 1 totaled 42,614,606 tons, a decrease of over 16,000,000 tons as compared with 1923.

Allentown—Preparations are being made to put in blast furnaces at Catasauqua owned by the Replogle Steel Company and The Reading Iron Company which have been idle for several years.

COAL.

Springfield, Ill.—The coal mines of the fifth and ninth Illinois districts mined 861,781 tons in the last month, a drop of over 170,000 tons as compared with November, 1923. The mines worked 3,370 hours and were idle 11,585. Production so far this year has decreased over 2,100,000 tons.

JEWELRY.

Atlanta—Platinum and diamond jewelry is moving freely. Jewelers say the consumption of platinum is unprecedented owing to the immediate fad of having old jewelry reset.

AUTOMOBILES.

Detroit—The business of some body manufacturers is showing an increase of 20 percent over the November rate and the January schedule of the Murray body corporation calls for an increase of 10 percent over that of December.

LIVESTOCK.

San Angelo—Contracting for Texas spring lambs has started earlier than over before. One large flock-master has sold his expected spring lamb crop from 2400 ewes at $8 a head and been advanced $1 a head. No lambs were contracted for in 1924 before Christmas.

Chicago—Despite record receipts of four hundred thousand hogs during the last week with prices down 75c per hundred pounds, cost of pork products are showing additional price strength, packing report. This is due they say to poor quality of animals received, which dress out with less meat per animal. There is no export business of consequence.

WOOL.

Yakima—Buyers for eastern houses are aggressive in seeking to contract for wool on the sheep's back for next spring delivery. They are offering 45c a pound for best grades which sheep men are declining although some small amount of lower grades have been sold at 42c.

STEEL COMPANY OPERATES NORMAL

Increase in Orders in Last Six Weeks.

The Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Co. is working normally. The present year has been an average one in the steel field; although not as good as 1923, the past year has been better than 1921 and 1922.

A considerable increase in orders has been noted in the last six weeks, but the full effect of this has not been felt as yet. The working force could be increased on the basis of sales, but this is not considered good policy at the present time.

COLLECTIONS NOT UP TO STANDARD

Business Good But Out Standing Accounts Dull.

Collections this month have been only fair. The Christmas season is acting as a deterrent to payments, although business is excellent. It is not a very good time for getting money in on outstanding accounts, state several collectors, but prospects are good for immediately after the holidays. Every collector is going to be right there at that time, too.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Dec. 13—HOGS—4,500; mostly 5@10c lower; bulk 170 to 190 pounds averages, $9.15@9.85; few best heavy butchers, $9.75@9.80; packer sows, $8.75@8.90.

CATTLE—Receipts, 400; compared with week ago; choice steers, 25c lower; lower grades, 50 to 75c lower; choice light yearlings and heifers, cows and canners steady; light vealers, 50 to 75c lower; tops for week; yearlings, $14.25; heavy steers $9.10; mixed yearlings, $12.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 150; for week; fat lambs and yearlings 50c to $1.00 higher; week top wool lambs, $15.50; clippers, $12.75; bulk wool lambs, $15.00@15.50; clipped lambs, $12.75; fat light ewes $8.00@8.50; heavies $6.50@7.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, Dec. 13—HOGS—Receipts, 9,500; steady to 50c higher; heavies $9.80@10.00; lights, $9.00@9.30; top $10.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 150; quiet; steers, nominal; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.50; veals, $8.00@12.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 50; steady; nominal, lambs, $10.00@14.00.

M'HENRY COUNTY LIVESTOCK LEADER

Aldon, Ill., Dec. 13—Henry county was the first to have its choice dairy stock nominated for membership in the college of agriculture at the University of Illinois for the purpose of giving high producing cows state credit and demonstrating the worth of recommended dairy practices.

Seven herds in the county represented, according to A. J. Gafke, farm adviser reporting to C. S. Rhode, dairy extension specialist at the college. William C. Wittmus was the first, who entered three of his milking shorthorns. They must produce 500 pounds of butterfat in a year to win a membership.

Any farmer in the state who is a member of a cow testing association may enter any of his cows that he thinks can make the poundage between January 1, 1925, and January 1, 1926.

BIG CROWD OUT TO DOG EXHIBIT

Beagles to Be Judged At 1 O'Clock Today.

The Saturday night crowd at the fourth annual pet stock show in the armory building on West Wood street was even much better than the Friday night crowd, which is very encouraging to the members of the association. As usual the dogs proved the chief attraction.

All classes in the dogs have now been judged except for the beagles and they will be judged at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Reno B. Cole, special beagle judge. At this time, it is expected another champion will be created, making the fourth dog that has been moved into the champion class in this show.

WINNERS PARADE.

At 8 o'clock Sunday night, all specials will be awarded and there will be a winners' parade, at which time R. H. Bell will pick his choice of all dogs present and present to its owner a $25 loving cup.

Results of the judging in the pointers and setters Saturday afternoon and the collies Saturday night were as follows:

RUSSIAN WOLF HOUND.

"Vedina of Romanoff's Choice" first and winner American bred bitch, owned by C. L. Kembortz, Springfield.

POINTERS.

Puppy dogs—"Prince," T. C. Schudel, Decatur, first.

Novice dogs—"Bob", Arlie Rankin, Macon, first.

Open dogs—"Prime Loree," R. H. Holloway, Duquoin, first.

Winner dogs—"Prime Loree," winner; "Bob", reserve.

Puppy bitches—"Mary Louise," Louise Young, Decatur, first.

Novice bitch—"Frank's Queen Bee," R. E. Valbert, Girard, first.

Winner bitches—"Frank's Queen Bee," winner; "Queen," Nick Karas, Decatur, reserve.

Best of breed—"Prime Loree," R. H. Holloway, Duquoin.

SETTERS (ENGLISH)

Novice bitches—"Mack's Bess," Dr. R. L. Morris, Decatur, first.

Limit bitches—"Mack's Bess," Dr. R. L. Morris, first and winners; "Lewis' Lou," G. W. Davis, Sullivan, second and reserve.

COLLIES.

Puppy dogs—"Sterling Sanford," Edwin L. Pickhart, Peoria, first; "Tazewell Trooper," Dr. O. P. Bennett, Washington, Ill., second.

Novice dogs—"Sterling Sims," Edwin Pickhart, first.

Open dogs (blue male)—"Tazewell Blue Toss," Dr. O. P. Bennett, first.

Limit dogs (sable or sable white) — "Tazewell Trooper," Dr. O. P. Bennett, first.

Open dogs (sable or sable white) — "Tazewell Tossup," Dr. O. P. Bennett, first; "Popple," Mrs. Henry Shafer, Pana, second.

Limit dogs (white)—"Elmajo White Boy," Harry Hillehay, New Pomerstown, O., first.

Open dog (white)—"Elmajo White Sheriff," Harry Dillehay, first.

Winner dog—"Tazewell Tossup," Dr. O. P. Bennett, winner; "Tazewell Trooper," Dr. O. P. Bennett, reserve.

This made Tazewell Tossup a champion.

Local dogs—"Collie Boy," Mrs. J. E. Gourley, Decatur, first.

Puppy bitches—"Pleasant View Patricia" R. A. Boggs, Decatur, first; "Prairie Flower Beauty," Fred I. Clark, Lovington, second; "Praire Flower Trixie," Fred I. Clark, third.

Novice bitches—"Pleasant View Loretta" R. A. Boggs, first; "Prairie Flower Beauty," Fred I. Clark, second; "Prairie Flower Trixie, Clark, third.

American bred bitches—"Sterling Seldom," Edwin L. Pickhart, first; "Tazewell Thyme," Dr. O. P. Bennett, second; "Tazewell Teal," Bennett, third.

Limit bitches (sable or sable white) — "Sterling Sobriety," Pickhart, first; "Tazewell Thyme," Bennett, second.

Open bitches (blue)—"Tazewell Bluebird," Bennett, first.

Winner bitches—"Sterling Seldom" Pickhart, winner; "Sterling Sobriety," Pickhart, reserve.

Best of breed—"Tazewell Tossup," Bennett.

Local bitches—"Pleasant View Patricia" Boggs, first.

OSGOOD & HEINER BRANCH CLOSED

Burned Out in Sullivan; Not to Reopen.

There is no immediate prospect of re-opening the branch factory of the Osgood and Heiner Manufacturing Co. at Sullivan, Ill., according to J. W. Heiner. No space is at present available in that city, where the plant of the company was burned down in the recent fire, but it is believed that suitable quarters can be procured when the company decides to re-establish the branch.

The present season is not conductive to expansion. For some reason, retailers are not putting in orders for their spring stocks, and manufacture is consequently slowing up. The Decatur factory of the company on East Eldorado street is now running at only about half of its capacity.

RETAILERS HOLDING OFF.

"This tendency of retailers to hold off on their buying is in turn causing the manufacturers and piece goods people to slow up also. It causes a hand to mouth business clear on up the line," said Mr. Osgood. "The inevitable result is increased prices by the manufacturer, whose overhead costs continue all the same during the period of slack."

Much better conditions, however, are predicted after Jan. 1. General business conditions and employment are good, so that stores may reasonably expect good sales during the coming year.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, Dec. 13—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; top $10; pigs, $6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts light; market steady.

CALVES—Receipts light; market steady.

CATTLE—Receipts, 600; mostly holdovers.

TEXTILES.

Boston—The Royal and Arctic Mills of the B. and R. Knight company, which recently reduced wages 12½ per cent, are actively producing fruit of the loom sheeting and are reported to have their output sold several months ahead.

STOCK MARKET IN GOOD SHAPE

Regains Ground Lost in Reaction of Mid-Week.

New York, Dec. 13.—The stock market closed the week with a strong undertone. With the advances of the day, which ran from fractions to nearly 8½ points, the market regained most of the ground lost during the sharp reaction in mid-week.

Thirty-five issues, including eight motors and accessories, seven rails and seven public utilities, created new maximum quotations for the year. The list included practically all of the Vansweringen stocks, which made a further favorable response to the Erie directors' approval of the Nickel Plate lease.

OIL SHARES.

Oil shares, which have been lagging behind the general list since last spring, showed more vitality on publication of a substantial decline in the week's production of crude oil.

Standard industrials showed little change on the day.

Coppers hardened in reflection of rising prices for the red metal. Some of the most violent bullish demonstrations took place in the public utilies.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Foreign exchanges stiffened perceptibly, with Spanish pesetas developing marked strength, touching a new top price for the year at 14.21 cents, a net gain of eight points on the day and thirty-three points on the week. Buying of this currency is said to be for the account of speculators who went short when the Morroccan troubles was at their height, and had not previously covered. Demand sterling ruled about three-fourths of a cent higher, around $4.69⅝, and French francs were quoted around 5⅜ cents.

The weekly clearing house statement showed mixed changes; loans discounts and investments dropped $72,583,000 below the week before, cash in own vaults increased $2,531,000; the reserve of member banks in the Federal Reserve bank gained $88,015,000; net demand deposits dropped $14,539,000, and time deposits fell off $3,591,000. Aggregate reserve totalled $705,984,000, leaving excess reserve of $71,026,790, an increase of $89,808,250.

I. P. L. TO PAY $1,022,868 IN PIATT COUNTY

Monticello, Dec. 12.—An assessment of $1,022,868 on the capital stock of the Illinois Power & Light corporation was certified to before the county clerk of Piatt county in Monticello this week by the state tax commission at the request of the I. P. & L.

This is the first time that this assessment has been filed in Piatt county, as it has heretofore been filed in Peoria county. It will mean a large increase in revenue to Piatt county this year.

GREAT WESTERN IS PROUD OF RECORD

Chicago, Dec. 13—In nearly five years there has not been a passenger fatality on the Chicago Great Western railroad, while it has operated 1,500 days without a fatal injury to an employe and 790 days without injury to a station employe, according to a report from headquarters here. The last passenger killed on the road's equipment was near St. Joseph, Mo., in January, 1920, and was due to an accident by derailment.

Other records reported by the railroad were: Engineers have gone 590 days without one of their number receiving an injury. Roundhouse employes have gone 586 days, shopmen 551 days. It has been over a year since any man in the mechanical department suffered a reportable casualty.

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FURNACE SLAYING WRITTEN DOWN AS UNSOLVED CASE

Rev. Sheatsley Back to Pulpit and Books.

BY ROBERT FRENCH.

(Copyright, 1924)

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 13—(I.) Among the ever increasing roll of unsolved, unexplained killings, the mysterious death of Mrs. Addie Sheatsley, wife of Rev. C. V. Sheatsley, found nearly a month ago incinerated in the family furnace, is now firmly settled, almost forgotten. Long since the law ceased to be concerned with its mysteries.

Reverend Sheatsley, though, is soon to go back to his flock after a month's leave of absence. He now is teaching his classes at Capital university where he serves as professor of religion. The parsonage, without the mother who had made it the envy of other ministers' wives, still houses the parson-professor and his four children.

STOKE THE FURNACE.

Clarence and Milton, the two boys, are once again stoking the furnace that consumed the body of their mother together with whatever evidence of the method of death it may have carried.

Bexley, in the short period of four weeks, has all but forgotten that a probable brutal murder occurred in its fashionable midst only to go unexplained. Just one noticeable reminder remains—parishioners still patrol the Sheatsley home keeping away inquisitive outsiders.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Personals 7

FAIRMOUNT MATERNITY HOSPITAL—Oldest, most exclusive hospital for unfortunate girls and expectant mothers. A place of real seclusion; may work for part expense; write for booklet and information. Address Fairmount Maternity hospital, 4911 E 27th St., Kansas City, Mo.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES—Wanted, of parties who witnessed accident Oct. 21, at 5:30 p. m., corner of E. Main and East Ave., between Illinois Power and Light Bus and Daut Bros. truck. Address Box 231, care Review.

NO HUNTING—Allowed west and north of Decatur, Sunnyside, Beardsdale and Warrensburg. Signed, Beardsdale A. H. T. A.

PUBLIC NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts contracted by Leona Davidson. Signed, Archie Davidson.

Strayed, Lost, Found. 10

BEADS—Found a strand of beads. Call Main 2844.

BIRD DOG—Strayed or stolen. Male Llewellyn setter, white with black spots. Reward for return. H. J. Harrington, Main 1830.

GLASSES—Shell rim, in leather case, lost. Call Main 1657.

PIN—Small gold W. R. C. pin, lost Tuesday. Call Main 3870.

SHEEP LINED COAT—Boys, lost in 700 Blk. S. Franklin. Please return to A. Bass, 101 E. Marion, or call Main 4200.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK—1922 roadster 1923 Ford coupe, 1923 Chevrolet touring, 1923 Chevrolet sedan, model 57 Cadillac coupe, Dodge touring, two Nash "Six" sport models, two Nash "Six" tourings. Small payment down. Balance monthly. Nash Motor Sales Co. 241 South Main. Main 411.

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

CADILLAC—Type 61 suburban.

MARMON—1923 sedan.

THE ABOVE USED CAR BARGAINS—are both in excellent condition.

CADILLAC CO. OF DECATUR.

415-32 E. WILLIAM. MAIN 722.

CADILLAC SEDAN—5-passenger, Model 59. Extraordinary condition. Priced to sell. Call Main 1024.

CHEVROLET—1923 touring car. You may have heard of used car bargains, but you have never seen a real one like this car. Fresh and clean. One you can be proud of. Time payments if desired. Tenney & Co., 138 W. William.

CHEVROLETS—1924 sedan, like new, several extras. 1924 coupe, heater front and rear bumpers, A-1 mechanically. 1924 touring, bumpers, extra tire, stop light, runs like new. 1923 coupe. 1923 touring, 1922 sedan. 1922 touring. Any above cars sold on easy terms. Wm. Frede & Son, Chevrolet Dealers, 126 N. Franklin St., Phone Main 1718.

CHEVROLET TOURING—1923 model. Repainted. In fine mechanical condition. A high grade, economical, light weight car, at a price you can't pass up. $275. $90 down, balance monthly. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

DODGE—Good used Dodge cars at right prices. Guy Ferre, Dodge Dealer, 121 N. Church. Main 725.

ESSEX1924 coach, practically new, driven 4400 miles, tires, upholstery, paint and everything in excellent shape. Has automatic windshield wiper, snubbers and other extras. You can save $300 on this car. Easy terms. We'll take your old car in trade. J. G. Starr & Son, 122 S. Franklin St. Main 979.

FORD—1923 Ford coupe, 1923 Oakland coupe, 1921 Ford sedan. Adams Used Car Market, 503 N. Main.

FORD ROADSTER—In good condition. Call owner. Main 8363 or 110.

FORDS—Good used Fords, $50 up. Real values in some closed models. Talbott-Barry, 385 E. Prairie. Main 208.

FORDS—1923 touring, starter and demountable rims, very carefully used. 1924 coupe, good mechanically. 1920 touring with starter. Will sell cheap. Wm. Frede & Son, Chevrolet Dealers, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

FORD SEDAN—For sale or trade. 1st-class condition, no starter, $135.00. 1915 light Ford truck. Runs good, $35. 264 W. Cerro Gordo.

FORDS—

FORD SEDAN—1924 Fordor sedan.

FORD COUPE—1924 coupe, in good shape.

FORD TOURINGS—Several 1924 and 1923 models. All mechanically good.

CHEVROLET—1924 superior model touring. Driven very little. A real bargain.

J. G. STARR & SON,

122 S. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 979.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

FORD TRUCK—One ton, late 1923 model, A-1 condition. Also good touring car, A-1 condition. Call Main 366.

FORD TOURING—In fine running condition. All tires are good. A real bargain at $50. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

FORD TOURING—1923 delivery truck with panel body. Repainted. Good tires. Good running condition. Just the thing for anyone giving light delivery service. The best thing is the price, $200. Terms if desired. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

HAYNES—A high-class 1923, 4-passenger brougham, like new. Has had excellent care. Run only 9,000 miles. Looks and runs like a new car. It is the best used car we have ever had for the money. Owner paid $4,000. $600 down will take it. The price will surprise you. Come in, see it, ride in it. Will take your old car in trade. J. G. Starr & Son, 122 S. Franklin St. Main 979.

MAXWELL—

MAXWELL—1923 touring.

BUICK—Brand new touring

OVERLAND—1922 touring.

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO.

244 E. WOOD. MAIN 1280.

MOLINE KNIGHT SEDAN—Good condition throughout, 5 good tires. A high grade used car with a lot of service in it. Cash or terms. Inquire at 742 Rogers Ave.

NASH TOURING BODY—For sale. 127 S. Jackson St.

OAKLAND COACH—LATE MODEL.

VERY REASONABLE. REWERTS AND

EHLER, "FAIR AND SQUARE," 314

E. MAIN ST. MAIN 172.

OVERLANDS—Two 1924 tourings, bought new this year and traded to us on new Chevrolet closed cars. Both in A-1 shape and we will sell at a sacrifice. Also a 1922 Overland touring. Wm. Frede & Son, Chevrolet Dealers, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

SEE THOMPSON—For good light used cars; a good variety to choose from. Cash, terms or trade. 103 South Main street. Main 1974.

STUDEBAKERS—

STUDEBAKER—1924 special 6 sedan, refinished and in excellent condition.

STUDEBAKER—1923 special 6 touring. Refinished and in fine shape.

STUDEBAKER—1922 light 6 touring. Refinished and in good condition.

BUICK—1922, 6 touring. In good shape.

BUICK—6 coupe. Refinished and in good mechanical shape.

SEVERAL OTHERS—Cheap.

V. M. ELMORE & SON.

232 S. MAIN. MAIN 867.

WILLYS-KNIGHT—1922 demonstrator. Equipped with genuine California winter top. Gives all the comforts of a sedan. First-class mechanical condition. Repainted. Looks and runs like new. Has bumpers front and rear, spare tire, spotlight, step-plates, etc. A price that will surely surprise you. Trade in your old car if you wish; pay the balance in easy installments. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

FREDE & SON USED CARS—

PAIGE SPORT—1921 model.

OAKLAND—1923 model, 644 touring.

BUICK TOURING—1920 model.

OAKLAND SEDAN—1920 model. New cord tires.

OLDSMOBILE COUPE—1920 model.

OLDSMOBILE TOURING—1921 model.

HUDSON TOURING—1917 model.

LATE MODEL CARS—In Chevrolets, Fords and Overlands.

TERMS OR TRADE.

WM. FREDE AND SON. (Chevrolet Dealers).

126 N. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 1718.

REO MOTOR SALES BARGAINS—

APPERSON—An 18 model six-cylinder touring. Runs good. Will sell cheap.

BUICKS—1919 touring; 1917 touring.

FORDS—1923 coupe, in A-1 shape. Also a 1920 roadster and 1919 touring.

LEXINGTON—1917 six-cylinder touring.

GARDNER—1922 touring. In best of condition. Looks and runs fine.

PAIGE—1919 six-cylinder touring. Runs good.

REOS—1917 six-cylinder roadster; 1916 four-cylinder roadster; 1917 four-cylinder touring; all these cars are in good condition.

REO MOTOR SALES CO.

236 E. NORTH ST. MAIN 763.

30 CARS TO SELECT FROM—

OVERLAND—1923 sedan.

NASH—1919 coupe.

MAXWELL—1923 sport touring.

DODGES—1923 coupe. Also a good 1924 sedan.

E. G. HEDGES.

332 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 598.

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

FORD TRUCK—1-ton, A-1 condition. Also tourists' truck. 348 N. Jackson.

Auto Accessories. 13

PARTS—For all makes of cars, new and used. Shaw's, 632 S. Franklin, M. 5833.

TIRES SACRIFICED—30x3 and 30x3½ for only $8. All larger sizes $4.50. If one of these used tires proves unsatisfactory within one year, return with receipt and get another at half price. Used Tire Store, 233 East Eldorado. Open from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Motorcycles and Bicycles. 15

INDIAN MOTORCYCLE—Late 1923, 27x3¼ tires, big tank, in A-1 shape. Come and make offer. Corner Cushing and Ellen Ave. Main 6308.

READ CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTION ADS IN The Shop-o-scope

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Service Offered. 18

BOILERS -Pipes, furnace parts welded and repaired. Decatur Welding Co., 1217 East Eldorado. Main 6901.

GUN AND LOCKSMITH—Better work, quicker and cheaper. My work done at home. 35 year record in Decatur is proof. Also will buy your furs. G. G. Rupert, 253 W. Spring St.

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags. Pfister Rug Works 713 E. Lincoln. Main 6878

Building—Contracting. 19

BUILDING CONTRACTS—Wanted and hardwood floors laid by a contractor, who is expert at this work. Fairview 325.

GARAGES BUILT—I build garages to suit your purse. Work guaranteed. Phone 8864 J. 1945 N. Morgan.

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

RUGS CLEANED, SHAMPOOED, SIZED—

OUR PROCESS—Removes all doubt as well as dirt. Try it.

MERIDITH CLEANING CO.

820-50 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 205-206

SEWING WANTED—Plain and fancy. Price reasonable. Call Fair 2691J

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

EXPERT MARCELLING—And water waving. Permanent waving, shingling and facial massage. Call Main 1643. Mrs. Heller's Beauty Shop, 136 S. Water.

HAIR WORK—All hair accessories made from your cut hair or combings. Mrs. Wolfington, 345 E. Wood, Main 2580.

MARCELLING—50c, shampooing, 50c. Red Star Barber Shop, 719 N. Water. Open evenings. Work guaranteed. Main 2293.

POWDER PUFF—Marcelling, 50c Hair cut 35c. Main 299 J, or 223 N. Water.

Insurance. 23

ILLINOIS BANKERS LIFE—Writes $5,000 at age 50 years for $103.15. Call L. W. MacNeil, Dist. Agt. Decatur Ill. Counts 981 R. 2. P. O. Box 703.

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

BIG VAN LOADS—$6.00 smaller jobs. $1.00 up Trunks etc. 60c Estimates given on storage and packing. Main 349 527 N. Union, Davis Storage Moving

KENNARD TRANSFER—Baggage and moving. Overland hauling a specialty. We'll save you money. Main 663.

MOVING—STORAGE—PACKING—

CALL PARKE

FOR CLEAN SERVICE

AT REASONABLE PRICES.

PHONE MAIN 55.

621 NORTH MAIN ST.

MOVING, STORAGE, PACKING—

VANS, TRUCKS, DRAYS—Local and long distance transfer.

STORAGE—Private rooms for household goods and pianos and trunks.

PACKING—Competent, careful packers of china, cut glass and household goods.

MERIDITH COMPANY

220-350 E CERRO GORDO MAIN 205-206

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAPERHANGING—By a practical man. T. A. Baker, 2075 N. Church. Main 2081.

Professional Services. 28

PRINCE, DR. A. E.—

Of Springfield, Ill., will see his eye, ear, nose and throat patients in Decatur the 1st and 3d Tuesdays of each month at Dr. Tobey's office, 550 Standard Life Bldg.

PRIVATE INVESTIGATIONS—In criminal and civil cases by competent operatives, strictly confidential. Phone Main 317. Merchants' Mutual Protective Assn Rooms 4 and 5, Rattan Bldg.

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

CLOCKS REPAIRED—At your home. All work guaranteed. Call Main 8371 or Main 1885

FURNITURE REPAIRING—Or any other repairs about your home. Home Repair Shop, 216 E. Division. Fairview 1637.

FURNITURE REPAIRING—Refinishing and upholstering; chair caning; mirrors resilvered. The K. & S. Repair Shop. Main 7021.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

NOW IS THE TIME—To have your flues and furnaces put in order for winter. Call Adam Page. Main 511.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

HOUSEKEEPER—For general work. Apply Eastern Star Home, Macon, Ill.

WOMEN WANTED—TO TIP CHICKENS

SWIFT AND CO. N. MORGAN ST.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

FOOD—No dull times selling food. People must eat. Federal distributors make big money: $3000 yearly and up. No capital or experience needed; guaranteed sales; unsold goods may be returned. We furnish you with license. Handsome $15.00 sample case sent on trust. Free samples to customers. Repeat orders sure; exclusive territory. Ask now. Federal Pure Food Co., 2303 Archer, Chicago.

SALES MANAGER—Wanted by large Ill. Corp. Must have executive ability, be capable of getting results from other men, and be willing to leave city. Product not hard to sell, selling 1-3 less than competitors; widely used; good repeater. 5-year contract to right man, whereby he should earn approximately $10,000 yearly. If you meet these requirements apply 144 North Main St. Monday or Tuesday.

MEN WANTED FOR AUTO WORK—The auto repair business pays from $50 to $150 a week, steady work, no lay-offs, no strikes, plenty of big jobs open. Three big training shops, send for my 64 page free book, and special offer including free board and railroad fare. Also special proposition on Home Study Course. State which interested in. Address school nearest you. McSweeny Auto, Tractor & Electrical Schools, Dept. H 234, 9th & Walnut Sts., Cincinnati, Ohio. 517-521 S. Laflin St., Chicago, Ill. 1815 E. 24th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

THE PAYING BUSINESS—Today is selling groceries, paints, radio sets and automobile tires and accessories direct to consumer. We put you in this business, no capital or experience necessary. Write Hitchcock-Hill Co., Dept. 119, Chicago.

$300 A MONTH—To distribute everyday household necessity in rural and small town districts. No money needed. Million dollar firm behind it. Write for particulars and state territory desired. D. K. Johnson, 609 W. Lake, Chicago.

Salesmen and Agents. 35

BRUSHES—Salesmen, district managers, 60% commission. 125 varieties, highest grade brushes. Exclusive territory. Box 121, Sta. A, Hartford, Conn.

STRAW SPREADERS—$90-$150 weekly, selling straw spreaders direct to farmers. Increase his wheat yield, 5 to 10 bushels acre. No collecting, we give customer year to pay, but pay your commissions now. Leads furnished. One order daily makes you $90 week. Straight commissions. Simplex Mfg. Co., Kansas City, Mo.

STROPPING OUTFIT—Robt. H. Ingersoll of $1 watch fame, wants good men to sell his dollar stropping outfit, an ingenious invention for sharpening all makes of safety razor blades. Great economic value. Meeting with nationwide approval. Easy to sell. Big repeat business. Agents having remarkable success. Full particulars, Robt H. Ingersoll, 476 Broadway, New York City.

TOILET ARTICLES—Perfumes and specialties. Wonderfully profitable. Get our free sample case. La Derma Co., Dept. 170, Main and Walnut, St. Louis, Mo.

10 HUSTLERS—Wanted, willing to earn $50 weekly. Sales managers, crew managers, etc. Steady work, lifetime positions. Clean, straight forward work. Curiosity seekers become real boosters. See sales manager at 1203 W. Wood.

SALESMEN—Special offer. Work direct for the factory. New selling plan. Sell the best union made utility clothing manufactured. Satisfaction guaranteed. We pay you all commissions. Suits sell for $12.50, your commission $4.00. Trousers $4.50, your commission $1.25. Slipons, $12.50, your commission $4.00. Prompt deliveries. Write or wire for free selling outfit. General Service Clothing Co. (Manufacturers), 4222 Lincoln Ave., Chicago.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

CANVASSERS—Several ladies, middle-aged preferred. Whole or part time. Address Box 249, care Review.

HOUSEWORK—In modern home. Box 254, care Review.

HOUSEWORK—Woman wants permanent housework. Jessie Morrison, Gen. Del. Danville, Ill.

STENOGRAPHER—7 years experience. Expert in short hand and typing. References. Address Box 250, care Review.

Situations Wanted—Male. 37

MAN—Experienced, wants position as janitor or porter. Fairview 459.

POSITION—As caretaker, custodian or all around man around business or public building wanted by A-1 man. Fairview 1529.

WORK ON FARM—Wanted for 1925. Best reference, reference required. Write Melvin Keppler, Vandalia, Ill.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

FURNISHING—For 30-room hotel, assign lease. Restaurant, grocery, bakery and confectionery. C. M. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. Main 3270.

HARDWARE—Good clean stock, in town of 1,000, surrounded by good farming community. See or write Burks & Faith, 118½ E. William St., Decatur, Ill.

RESTAURANT—For sale, at 752 N. Water. Selling on account of sickness.

STORE BUILDING—With an 8 room residence on north side. Also a good store building, in excellent location on west side. Dickerson and Cloney, 200 Neustadt Bldg., Main 2484-4759.

BUSINESS DISTRICT—An income property with room for a filling station. H. A. Britton, Main 1112.

Money to Loan. 40

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB, 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Schoenle & O'Mara. Phone Main 2208. 123 E. Main street.

MONEY IN A HURRY—

LOANED QUICKLY—And quietly to people keeping house, no indorsers, no embarrassing inquiries; interest at lawful rate for just actual time you keep the money. Call or phone Main 370.

FIDELITY LOAN CO.

315 Citizens Bank Bldg. 248 N. Water
Under State Banking Supervision.

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets. 47

CANARIES—German roller canaries. Mrs. A. G. Dixon, 1710 Monroe St., Sullivan, Ill.

CANARIES—Singer, $3.50 and $4.00. Call Main 2144.

PERSIAN KITTENS—Pedigreed, from prize winning stock. Main 5443.

SHETLAND PONY—For girl or boy, would be a real Christmas for them. 40 to sell, all kinds and colors. Kennedy Bros., Taylorville, Ill.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

HOGS—Three medium sized hogs, 200 to 235 lbs, $50 for 3. Tarr's addition, north, 709 E. Arlington.

Poultry and Supplies. 49

COCKERELS—S. C. R. I., dark rich red. Owens farm strain. J. C. Ellis, 1036 W. Cerro Gordo.

MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale. 51

BABY BUGGY—Large, reed. Good condition. Reasonable. Fairview 1011.

CHILD'S BED—High chair, tricycle, electric train; also ladies' fur scarf and man's overcoat. Main 5021.

Business and Office Equipment. 54

DESKS—$15.50 up. See us for anything in office supplies. Wilder & Wilder 129 N. Main.

FLOOR SHOW CASE—6 ft., 2-way show case. Jeweler's bench, complete. Refrigerator, coca cola kegs, jugs, lead pipe. Call Main 3293.

REFRIGERATOR CASE—12 ft. Gruendler. Call Main 1010 or 1030 N. Jasper.

SAFES—3 second hand safes for sale. Inquire Johnson Transfer and Fuel Co., Bloomington, Ill. Telephone 262.

TYPEWRITERS—New and factory rebuilt. Expert repairing. Decatur Typewriter Service Co. M. 1737.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers. 56

COAL—Sherlite, heating and lasting qualities unexcelled. Also E. Ky. block. None better. J. J. Shutt, Main 3168

COAL—We sell all kinds. American Ice Cream Co. Prompt delivery. Main 975.

COBS—All the nice clean cobs you want free for the hauling. Elwin Farmers Elevator

COBS—$1.50 load. Also hauling, prices reasonable. Fairview 2691J.

LINCOLN—Springfield, Eastern Kentucky block coal. Corley and Son. Main 1382.

POLAR CLINKERLESS COAL—ECONOMY CONSIDERED. THE MOST SATISFACTORY COAL. ALSO DECATUR MINED COAL AND FURNACE OIL. PHONE MAIN 1024.

Good Things To Eat. 57

APPLES—Cider and pure apple cider vinegar, wholesale and retail. E. Wright Allen & Son, 150 West Cerro Gordo. Main 378.

HONEY—Strained, 25c lb.; 10 lb., $2.25, absolutely pure. M. 4082, 2121 N. Water.

PORK—From country. Hams, shoulders, etc. Special price on half and whole hogs. County 984 ring 2

Household Goods. 59

BASE BURNER—Hard coal, good as new, also A. B. C. power washer. 1490 E. Sedgwick.

BED—And spring, good condition. Bargain. 350 E. Marietta.

BRASS BEDS—Two. Fumed oak library table. Good condition. Call Main 1784.

BREAKFAST TABLE — White. China closet, 3 burner gas plate and oven, 2 good comforts. 1084 E. William.

CHAIR—Large roomy overstuffed chair, mahogany and cane chair and rocker to match. All like new. Priced to sell. Call mornings, 530 W. William.

DABED—Slightly used, $17.50. Call Main 1822.

FURNITURE—ON PAYMENT PLAN—

AEOLIAN VOCALION—And Columbia Grafonola at about half price, $10 cash balance payment.

BEDROOM SUITES—Walnut and mahogany, at about half price. $10 cash, balance payments.

DAVENPORT—Living room suite, $10 cash, balance payments.

RANGES—Enamel and cast ranges about half price, $10 cash, balance payments.

DINING TABLES—Several, slightly damaged at about half price. $5 cash, balance payments.

DRESSER—Bird's eye maple dresser, about half price. $10 cash, balance payments.

LIBRARY TABLES—About half price, $1 cash, balance payments.

CEDAR CHESTS—$2.50 cash, balance payments.

SMOKING STANDS—

WORK BASKETS—

RECORDS—At 39c and 59c.

BACHMAN CO. (New Place)

231 N. MAIN STREET.

INSTEAD OF ASKING your friends where there is a nice room to rent, read The Review's classified ads and find out for yourself.

MERCHANDISE

Household Goods. 59

DAVENETTE—Fumed oak [illegible] both excellent condition [illegible] 2370, 1537 N. Edward.

FEATHER MATTRESSES—Made from feather beds at reasonable charge. Decatur Mattress Factory [illegible] M. 1668

HARMOGRAPH PHONOGRAPH—Like new; buffets, golden oak [illegible] good ones, $22.50. P. D. Greer, 625 N. Water. Main 4349.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—And [illegible] N. Union

NO-COAL OIL BURNER—For sale. [illegible] The Millikin Trust Company [illegible]

TRUNKS—$1.75 up, piano $15 [illegible] stoves, linoleum, stove [illegible] Davis storage, moving. M. [illegible] Union St.

ELITE FURNITURE STORE—We pay cash for your used furniture and stoves. We repair all kinds of stoves. 802 N. Water. Main 601

UNREDEEMED STORAGE FURNITURE

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY [illegible] thing you require for your home

RANGES—and cook stoves [illegible] plenty of good heating stoves

WARDROBES—$12.00.

BOOK CASES—$5.00.

KITCHEN CABINET BASES [illegible]

DINING TABLES—$9.00 and up

DRESSERS—$9.00 and up

4 ROOM OUTFIT [illegible] All for $[illegible] terms are more liberal

MERIDITH STORAGE AND FURNITURE COMPANY
320 EAST CERRO GORDO MAIN 205

WE PAY CASH—For furniture, refrigerators, stoves [illegible] 825 North Water. Main 4057

Machinery and Tools. 61

LATHE—Barnes screw cutting [illegible] inch swing. Power or [illegible]

Musical Instruments. 62

GULBRANSEN REGISTERING [illegible] We prove to you that the Gulbransen registering piano is easy to pedal [illegible] it sounds hand played. The [illegible] model is only $490 with [illegible] pay for it. See it. This week [illegible] gation to your visit. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315

KIMBALL PIANO—First grade [illegible] oak case. An excellent value. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

PHONOGRAPH—Used [illegible] phonograph $18. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William

PHONOGRAPH—Used Victor [illegible] mahogany case, $70.50 [illegible] Music Shop, 118 E. William

PHONOGRAPH—Used Tollman phonograph, with 23 records $19.50. A bargain. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William.

PHONOGRAPH RECORD EXCHANGE, 841 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh [illegible] Bargain prices, all makes records exchanged, 5c. Amberola and Pathe records, 15c. Particulars free.

PHONOGRAPHS—A beautiful machine in walnut case, that is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. This machine and ten records, $95. Easy terms. Fourth Floor Music Department Linn & Scruggs.

PIANO—Best [illegible] leaving city, will sacrifice for quick sale. Call Main [illegible] or 1345 N. Monroe.

PIANO—$55 is our price on a used piano not good looking but in [illegible] condition. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315

SAXAPHONE—E flat, Selmer [illegible] for sale. Fairview [illegible]

Radio Equipment. 62A

RADIO—Improved [illegible] miles. $10. Fair. 907

RADIO 3-tube reflex, walnut [illegible] built-in loud speaker. Main 1520

RADIO EQUIPMENT—At bargain prices. $10 Brandes table talker. $7 [illegible] Master speaker, $24, [illegible] Gould battery $18. [illegible] B battery, $33. Fairview [illegible]

Wearing Apparel. 65

COAT—Dyed muskrat [illegible] condition. Man's full dress [illegible] Fairview 2255.

COAT—Girl's coat, $5. Evening dress $7 [illegible]

Wanted—To Buy. 66

CLOTHING—Wanted to buy men's clothing. Must be in good condition. 744 E. Eldorado. Main 1079

FURS—I want them. I will pay these prices: Mink $7, $5, $3; rats $1.50, $1, 50c; skunk, $3, $2, $1 [illegible] $1.25, 75c, 35c, 10c [illegible] sure that you see me. [illegible] Old Gunsmith, at 253 West Spring street

PIANOS WANTED—We want [illegible] pianos. Will pay cash or trade merchandise. Wm. Gushard Co. [illegible]

TRICYCLE—Rubber tires [illegible] without shade. Main 1566

CHRISTMAS MONEY—

We will buy your old furniture and pay cash for it. Call Main 205. Merdith Furniture Co., 320 E. Cerro Gordo.

The Shop-o-scope

Gifts for Her. A

BONDS—A refinement over the cash present, is that of an independent [illegible] Start it with a Bond for her. Cash or partial payment. N. L. Rogers & Co., 438 Standard Life Bldg. M. 6261

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BRACELET WATCHES—Beautiful creations in white gold; engraved cases, reliable 16-jewel movements; compare these values at $13, $17.50 and $22.50 Frank Curtis Co., 156 East Main street

BREAKFAST SET—Six-piece walnut, a beauty; $42.50. Give her furniture. P. D. Greer, 625 North Water. Main 4349

BREAKFAST SETS—9-piece set, consists of 1 oblong 18x22 and 4 plate doilies, 12x17 and 4 napkins on Indian head, for cross stitch. Set 99 cents. Linn & Scruggs.

BUICK SEDAN—Something she will appreciate 365 days a year. Tenney & Co 138 W. William.

BULB ATOMIZERS—All metal, gold finished. Very attractive. Something she will like. 75c to $7.00. Decatur Drug Co.

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CANDLE STICKS—Mahogany candle sticks 10-inch size. An ideal gift. 93 cents. Linn & Scruggs

The SHOP-O-SCOPE

Gifts for Her A

[illegible]

REO SEDAN—Twentieth Century model sedan at $1,595 is a Christmas gift [illegible] 365 days a year [illegible] than an open car [illegible] of the Reo. Ask us for a demonstration. Reo Motor Sales Co.

REVIEW SUBSCRIPTION—A thoughtful Christmas gift for out-of-town friends who will appreciate up-to-the-minute news from Decatur.

RUG—New Balz Axminster [illegible] Pretty pattern. Heavy nap. $[illegible] & Carter [illegible] N. Water

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TOASTERS—Get an electric toaster for mother or sister prices from $5 to $9 Rex Electric Co 114 East William

TOILET SETS—You will save money on your toilet sets if you purchase them at Frankels 455 N Water

VICTROLA—Make her happy with a gift that will give pleasure for years to come—a genuine Victrola Terms made to suit your pocketbook Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

VICTROLAS—Give her a Victrola a lasting gift that is always appreciated a special payment plan for Christmas Victrolas Linn & Scruggs Fourth floor

WILLYS KNIGHT—Parked in front of your home Christmas morning is a gift that will please the whole family Phone for a demonstration W C. Starr 330 N Main St Main 251

WRITING DESKS—Spinet type very popular for the well appointed home a splendid gift for her F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

Gifts for Him. B

ACCESSORIES FOR THE MOTORIST—Besides a car he will appreciate a windshield a ottlight or a heater for the car Do your Christmas shopping at W C Starr 330 N Main St Home of the Overland and Willys Knight

BATTERIES—Vesta Radio batteries for every ... need Storage A batteries ... Also Burgess dry batteries C C Knickerbocker On Lincoln Square Main ...

BONDS—As Christmas presents are becoming ... the giving of ... more general We will ... you ... N L Rogers & Co. 438 Standard Life ...

BONDS—Safe yielding a good return of 6 or 7% good collateral for loan A worthy gift N L Rogers & Co 438 Standard Life Bldg Main 6261

CHRISTMAS CLUB CHECK—Next year is ... to win Any plan small or large payments Citizens National Bank The Home of Savings

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CHRISTMAS SAVING—Open a Christmas savings account for him at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Company

CIGARS—After all nothing satisfies like good cigars Put up in special Christmas boxes of 25 cigars Mapacuba 10c $2 25 per box El Pajah 8c wood box of 25 $1 85 San Felice 8c wood box of 25 $1 85 Chas Thompson 5c in art tins $1 15 Sold at all leading stands Chodat-Ehler Co 259 E Main St

CIGARS—He is used to Grand Operas give him a box for Christmas O E Marsh 208 S Broadway Main 2866

CIGARS TOBACCO AND PIPES—Full line our Havana and domestic cigars cigarets and smoking tobacco in holiday packages William Demuth & Co pipes cigar and cigarette cases and tubes in imported pipes we handle Alfred Dunhill and Sassieni London make Headquarters for Christmas buyers for the smoker John Spot's 112 Merchant

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DIAMONDS—Unredeemed watches and diamonds Small deposit will hold any article Abe's Reliable Loan Bank, 134 Merchant

GABRIEL SNUBBERS—An ideal gift for his car Install 1 on Ford $17 50 Buick Dodge Willys Knight or Oakland $20 50 C C Knickerbocker On Lincoln Square

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HOSIERY—Give them Real Silk guaranteed hosiery Call our representatives T F Wismeth or A M Hartley, Main 644

PAJAMAS—Silk ... satins silks Solid ... trimmed with frogs A desirable gift $2 ... Saltz Bros 225 N Water

PATIO—We have the best in radio sets Fada Neutrodyne Day Fan and Atwater Kent Prices to suit anyone Rex Electric Co 114 East William

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REVIEW SUBSCRIPTION—Send him the Review He will like the news from the old home town

SHAEFFER LIFE TIME PENS—One of the best fountain pens made The gift that will serve him a lifetime $8 75 Decatur Drug Co

SHIRT—Hose ... gloves warm overcoat or a new suit Bovards The Store of Friendly ... N Main St

SMOKING SETS—Fountain pens razors shaving sets are gifts every man likes Harding's Drug Store 1001 E Grand

SMOKING STANDS—He will be pleased with one of our beautiful smoking stands mahogany or wrought iron standards many styles from 98c up F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

SPORTING GOODS—Everything in baseball golf tennis football basketball gym goods Spaldings Guaranteed Mac's 429 North Water St

STROMBERG CARLSON NEUTRODYNE—No better Neutrodyne made a real radio performer We handle this famous Stromberg Carlson line—head sets loud speakers etc Order from Rewerts & Ehler 314 East Main street

SUITS—While reading the Shop-o-Scope don't forget that Warren The Tailor makes snappy clothes 103 E Prairie

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Gifts for the Children. C

BABY RINGS—Something new—something different, white green or yellow gold, $1 00 to $2 each. Frank Curtis Co., 1 East Main street

BAND INSTRUMENTS—How happy he will be with a genuine Buescher saxophone or for a Ludwig drum Terms Emerson Piano House 143 North Main St Main 315

BANJOS—Violins ukeleles saxaphones cornets etc Please your boy or girl with a band instrument, Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

BATTERIES—Get your boy the famous Willard storage "A" battery for best results with his radio Decatur Battery Service 347 East Main

BONDS—Begin teaching your child to handle money intelligently. Give a bond for Christmas Cash or partial payment plan N L Rogers & Co. 438 Standard Life Bldg. M 6261.

BONDS—Invest in a bond for your boy or girl and provide them with a gift that pays 6% or 7% income. N L Rogers & Co. 438 Standard Life Bldg. Main 6261.

CANDY—Buy your Christmas candy and candy canes at the Candyland Confectionery. Best prices, 136 E. Main.

CHRISTMAS CLUB MEMBERSHIP—Serves a double purpose. Start them right Citizens National Bank, 'The Home of Savings'

CHRISTMAS PUPPIES—A real live companion for the little tot Drs Brown & Hinkle 355 E Main

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Start a Christmas savings account for your boy or girl at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Co.

COASTER WAGONS—Ball bearing rubber-tired disc wheels body of the best grade of hard wood size of body 38x16 natural wood finish with red enamel top rails and trimmings fill the boy with joy $9 75 F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

DISHES—Make the little girl happy with a China Tea set In pretty designs 75 cts to $5 Linn & Scruggs Basement

DOLL CARTS—For the girl coaster wagons for the boy Low prices Eldorado Furniture House 653 E Eldorado

DRUM—A drum outfit will make an ideal gift for your boy all combinations may be made at a variety of prices Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

ELECTRIC TRAINS—Get one for your boy this Christmas complete line of Ives trains, Rex Electric Co 114 East William

RADIO RECEIVING SETS—For Christmas Priced from $14 50 to $325 Radio parts and accessories Morehouse & Wells Co

RADIO SETS—Get a Crosley set Inexpensive and efficient Decatur Radio & Electric Shop 305 N Jasper

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TRAINS AND TRACK—Mechanical trains $1 50 up to $5 Electric trains $5 50 up Just the thing for the boys Christmas Linn & Scruggs Basement

TYPEWRITER—Splendid gift for the boy or girl in school All standard makes Decatur Typewriter Service Co 351 N Main

Gifts for the Home. D

BATHROOM FIXTURES—Take your Christmas money and have complete bathroom fixtures installed in your home Smith & McDaniel 136 N Franklin M 7610

BOOK ENDS—Fine assortment from the metal at 30c a pair which you can paint yourself to the fine sets at $5 00. Mac's 429 North Water St

BRUNSWICK RADIOLA—The famous console model Brunswick with Radiola receiver built in phonograph records or radio programs at a turn of a lever make this a radio Christmas but be sure you see the Brunswick Radiola before you buy Wm Gushard Co. Main 4391

CHRISTMAS DAY—Will be more of a reality if you are in your own home See us for city and suburban property Camp & Emrich, 202 Neustadt Bldg Main 2544

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS—Potted plants and Christmas wreaths Daut Bros Florists 120 East Prairie Main 733

ELECTRIC CLEANERS—A Royal electric cleaner will save time and labor for the housekeeper every woman will welcome one for Christmas $5 down will deliver it—with a full year to pay Wm Gushard Co

ELECTRIC ROOM HEATERS—Full size with heavy copper reflector Reliable heating element Special price $5 50 Decatur Drug Co

ELECTRIC WASHER—The Laun dry-ette will make an ideal gift for the home Morehouse & Wells Co

ELECTRIC WASHERS—A 1900 Cataract electric washer will make life more pleasant labor lighter for the woman in the home $5 delivers it a year to pay the balance Ask for a demonstration Wm Gushard Co

ELECTRIC WASHERS—The Haag is the ideal electric washer for the small home and its price of $125 makes it the greatest washer value on the market $5 down delivers it then pay $10 a month Wm Gushard Co

EMERSON PIANO—A high quality piano known for its sweetness of tone fine construction—a worthy gift you can justly be proud of Emerson Piano House 143 N Main E Main 315

FLOWERS—The home will not have the proper Christmas spirit without flowers Christmas wreaths potted plants cut flowers and poinsettias Kellogg & Sons Florists 316 N Main

FURNACE—When your old furnace plays out let us install a new furnace Caloric Furnace Co 132 W William

FURNITURE—The most useful lasting gift of all overstuffed suites davenports tables end tables mirrors lamps telephone stands and hundreds of other articles that will make a Merry Christmas in the home If it's furniture see F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

GATELEG TABLES—A useful gift for the home we have them in several sizes and styles F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

GULBRANSEN REGISTERING PIANO—Put your gift money together and buy a Gulbransen Registering Piano Everyone can enjoy it Easy to pedal fun to play Two years to pay Priced $150 up $5 reserves one today Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

HOMES—A home is an everlasting Christmas gift Secure it through the Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

HOUSE SLIPPERS—Something practical that will be appreciated All styles and colors 49c up. W J Crawford Inc 155 N. Water

HUPMOBILE—This will be the best Christmas your family ever had if you buy them a new Hupmobile All models to choose from Order early Rewerts & Ehler "Fair and Square" 316 East Main street

LAKE FRONT LOTS—A Christmas present you can enjoy 365 days a year—a lot in Lake Beach or Ridge Ideal on Lake Decatur Adjoins Elks $30 000 Club home grounds Easy terms Godwin & Goddard, Realtors over West Drug Store Main 451

MANTLE CLOCKS—Beautiful mahogany mantle clocks equipped with two tone chime gong and reliable eight day movement Christmas special at $12 75 Frank Curtis Co 156 East Main street

MATTRESSES—Decatur Made combination, felt or kapok $8 to $28 Decatur Mattress Factory 1025 N Water

MAXWELL—The Good Maxwell in any model all the family will pride in the comforts of this popular car Spiess Auto Sales Co 244 E Wood

NASH SEDAN—Advanced "six sedan five-passenger, four-wheel brakes $1 695 Nash Motor Sales 241 South Main

OVERLAND COUPE SEDAN—Will fill the bill as a Christmas present deluxe for the wife and children. America's lowest priced closed car Let us show it to you. W. C Starr, 330 N. Main St. Main 251.

PIANOS—Is there anything that would be more appreciated than a nice piano or player piano—the lasting gift? The finest instruments that can be had are now being displayed in Grands and Uprights a special payment plan for Christmas pianos fourth floor Linn & Scruggs

PLAYER PIANO—Get a player piano for the family to enjoy $359 up; standard makes Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

RADIO SET—The famous Atwater-Kent set is a most acceptable gift for the entire family, standard endurable and enjoyable, five-tube cabinet, $100; five-tube open set, $83 Decatur Battery Service, 347 East Main street

RADIO SETS—Atwater-Kent, $85 up Crosley $18.50 up North Main Tire and Radio Shop, 718 North Main.

REX ENCLOSURE—Makes a sedan out of any touring car Ride in comfort Troy Odor 242 West Packard street

SAVINGS ACCOUNT—Is a constant builder for anything in the home Citizens National Bank 'The Home of Savings

SILVERWARE—Latest designs in Wm Rogers & Son guaranteed silver plate 26 piece sets $15 00 Miscellaneous pieces to match. Martin's Watch Shop 140 N Main St

SUPER HETERODYNE—Get a Radiola and you'll enjoy radio at its best $269 to $425 Auto Parts Co 1003 N Water

THOR ELECTRIC WASHER—Over 800 000 in use Make this a 'Thor Christmas for her Convenient terms Call Main 1 for demonstration Illinois Power & Light Corporation

TITLE TO YOUR HOME—Is a present best of all modern homes for Christmas as low as $300 down W E Gregg 620 Gushard Building Main 330

VICTOR RECORDS—Will play an important part in her Christmas spirit Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St. Main 315

VICTOR RECORDS—Your friends will appreciate receiving some good records An inexpensive gift that everyone will appreciate receiving We deliver or pack and mail them for you Linn & Scruggs. Fourth floor

VICTROLA—Better to buy a genuine Victrola than to wish you had—and to know you have the service of an exclusive Music House Terms to suit Select one now for Dec 24th delivery Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

VICTROLA—You can give nothing that would be appreciated more by your family than a Victrola and a nice collection of records, special payment plans for Christmas Victrolas Linn & Scruggs

Dinner and Decorations. E

CAKES & DESSERTS—Nafziger's 1 lb very rich Nut & Fruit cake pudding Also 2 3 and 5 lb genuine Brandywine fruit cakes for your family or friends At your grocer Nafziger Baking Co J M Allen Mgr

CANDY—Buy pure fresh home made candy for your Christmas table from the Empress Confectionery, 411 N. Water

CHRISTMAS TREES—From 2 to 18 feet Prices suitable to all Now on sale at 413 N Main

GREETING CARDS—Beautiful designs Genuine steel die engraved cards with envelopes 10c each Baird Printing Co 230 E North St

NAFZIGER'S BAKED GOODS—Butter cream Certified split top whole wheat and rye breads Coffee cake Tan Rolls and buns for the Christmas dinner table Fresh daily at your grocer Nafziger Baking Co J M Allen Mgr

TREE LIGHTING OUTFITS—$1 75 buys the best tree lighting outfit you can find Mazda bulbs and colored cord ready to attach to light socket Extra bulbs and sockets 10c each Kresges

"Make It A Radio Christmas"

You'll double the happiness in some home when you select a Radio Set as a Christmas Gift. Read The Radio Dealers' ads in

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ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

WHITMER ST E 873—3 modern furnished rooms Fairview 1822

WOOD ST E 823—Modern light housekeeping rooms ground floor private entrance Also garage Main 3660

WOOD ST W —2 front unfurnished rooms Close in Call Main 37

WEST PART—3 well furnished rooms Adults Main 3541

WEST SIDE—Modern light housekeeping apartment Garage On bus line Fairview 153

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

BROADWAY N 110—Four-room modern flat Apply 541 Wabash avenue

DECATUR ST W 1252—Modern furnished 3 room apartment Fairview 979

DENNIS AVE N —room furnished apartment with private bath Call M L Harvell Main 7...

MAIN ST N 200—Unfurnished apartment Over old Norman Bldg Main 891

MAIN ST N 210—Matesta apartments suite of 3 rooms Main 404

MAIN ST N 976—Modern 7 room furnished apartment 4 months Fair 774

ST JAMES HOTEL—2 room apartment Heat light and gas furnished

WARREN ST N 804—room modern furnished apartment Call Main 6561

WILLIAM ST E 1715—Well furnished 3 room flat thoroughly modern heated Reasonable to quiet middle aged couple

APARTMENTS—Close in on a good street 6 rooms with sleeping porch heat water and janitor service Also 5 rooms city heat and water, with garage Main 1405

APARTMENT—Furnished apartment Apply Decatur Hotel

WEST SIDE—Close in and on bus line Two room furnished apartment Main 1792

WEST SIDE—Close in Small furnished apartment Large rooms Warm Call Fairview 448

NICE ROOMS—Upstairs Modern except heat and bath Inquire 415 N Jasper

Business Places For Rent. 75

MAIN ST N 310—Business room formerly occupied by the Gately Clothing Co size 22x84 suitable for retail business Will lease for five years See Geo Moeller Jr 228 Citizens Bank Bldg, or 157 McClelland Ave

Farms For Rent. 76

FARM FOR RENT—See S H Tolly, Stine Bldg Decatur Ill

Garages For Rent. 76A

GREEN ST W 454—Garage Very convenient concrete drive Main 6518

NORTH ST W 71—Garage for rent

Houses For Rent. 77

BROADWAY N, 644—Over 615. 3 modern rooms to good couple who wish to be close in during winter Don't phone Call in person

CALHOUN ST S, 307—6-room modern cottage $35 per month Also 3 room house at 1111 E Sedgwick On full lot $15 per month Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

CENTRAL AVE 336—7 room all strictly modern house Apply 451 N Water Main 4478

COLLEGE ST N 1728—5 rooms modern 2 car garage $40 month Fairview 58

CORNER CUSHING AND MONROE—New modern 5 room colonial bungalow Heated garage On bus line Main 311

CUSHING W 900 BLK —New five-room bungalow with lights and gas $25 per month E F Drobisch & Son Main 2047

EDWARD ST N 144—4 room modern hot water heat Main 1226

FIFTH ST S 42—Strictly modern 5 room bungalow, with garage Call Fairview 2208

FORREST AVE W 1337—6-room all modern house $40 per month Main 498

HALF BLOCK WEST OF POSTOFFICE—8 rooms modern Apply 417 N Main St Main 103

HENDERSON AVE 1148—5 room gas water, electricity $25 Apply 1143 Rogers Ave

ILLINOIS ST S 1260—6 room modern house Double garage On car line If rented by Sunday $30 per month Call at 1241 N Water, or Fairview 1

KING E 504—7 rooms 1503 N Water, 5 rooms 404 E Marietta.

LAWRENCE ST E 1771—5 room part modern house Main 231

LEAFLAND E, 130—New 5 room modern bungalow Main 2969

MAIN ST E 2026—5 room modern house Also garage Fairview 2201

MAIN ST N 2080—6-room part modern house County 012 Ring 11

MAPLE, N 1560—5 rooms thoroughly modern Oak floors built in features Garage $40 per month L F Drobisch & Son Main 2047

MONROE ST N 1003—8 rooms and bath fully modern Garage Burns Realty Co Fairview 664

MUELLER AVE 1180—5 room strictly modern bungalow Apply 451 Wabash Ave Main 1478

OAKDALE BLVD —Fine six room bungalow Furnished Full lot Garage $85 per month Main 495

PINE ST N 817—Thoroughly modern 7 room furnished house Prefer young or middle aged couple Reasonable to responsible people Main 1...

SHORT ST N 543—4 room house References Inquire 342 E Eldorado

WATER ST N 945—7 room modern house Fairview 28

WATER ST N 1633—8 room modern house Call Main 2 19

WILLIAM ST E 1363—8 room modern house Rent or sell Main 527

WOODFORD ST N 1147—4-room part modern house Apply 451 N Water Main 1478

WOOD ST W 124—Will lease fully furnished modern 8-room home for 1 or 2 years Call Main 1029

CLOSE IN—Furnished house Very reasonable Call Main 1603 or Main 299 J

EAST SIDE—Dandy new 5 room bungalow garage $40 per month Inquire 1500 E Main

NEAR MILLIKIN—6 rooms breakfast nook Garage Burns Realty Co Fairview 664

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

FARM—From 40 to 160 acres Good land improved A permanent tenant Main 311

ROOM AND BOARD—For 2 small boys north part Box 52 care Review

YOUNG GIRL—Wishes place to stay while attending school Exchange references Address Box 53 care Review

Suburban For Rent. 80

FOR 4 ACRES—Good house barn shed and fruit 1 1/4 miles Northwest on hard road Good garden patch and place for chickens To middle aged couple without children 115 N Dunham

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms With Board. 67

EDWARD ST N 1148—Neat rooms good meals private home Fairview 1710

JORDAN ST N 916—Room and board 1 block west of Wabash shops

MAIN ST N —Room and board private family Main 6434

MERCER ST N 830—Modern room with board home cooking Main 6654 J

NORTH ST E 1042—Room and board in modern home $8 per week

Rooms Without Board. 68

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water Special weekly rates

CERRO GORDO ST W 328—Well furnished sleeping room on first floor for two gentlemen $ 00 per week

DECATUR ST, W 832—Nicely furnished warm room connected bath private home Bus stops at door. Gentleman preferred Fairview 2990

EDWARD ST N 843—Pleasant rooms modern home girls only breakfast and supper if you wish Easy walking distance Main 1423

EDWARD ST S 241—Nicely furnished newly decorated warm front room Modern private home, close in. $3 50 per week Main 1129

JASPER ST N 661—3 furnished rooms with lights gas and heat

MACON ST, W 200—Nicely furnished modern rooms Fairview 1472

MACON W 217—Modern room suitable for 2 gentlemen

MAIN S 449—2 nice modern rooms Cheap First floor Private entrance

MAIN ST N 1236—Large sunny front room all modern Close to car

MAIN ST W 411—Large sleeping room Twin beds city heat

MAIN ST, W, 540—Modern furnished sleeping room

MAIN ST W 911—Large modern front room suitable for two Main 5535

MARIETTA ST, E 1151—Furnished room suitable for two Board if desired

NORTH ST E, 91—Sleeping room in modern home Main 4268

NORTH ST, W., 118—City heated room Business people preferred Main 607

NORTH ST W 604—Furnished room modern home suitable for 2

OAK CREST 190—Nice furnished room in modern private family

ST JAMES HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water Special weekly rates

WATER ST, N 1336—Modern furnished room Meals served next door

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CHURCH ST N 604—2 partly modern furnished front rooms

CHURCH ST N, 1308—3 modern unfurnished rooms

EDWARD ST N 940—3 modern furnished downstairs rooms Lavatory. Fair. 1158

LEAFLAND AVE E 1120—Large front room furnished for light housekeeping Private entrance Fairview 200

LEAFLAND E, 1320—4 unfurnished rooms Entirely modern. Private entrance

MACON ST W 1064—3 modern unfurnished rooms kitchenette ground floor Garage Adults Main 6570

MACON W 1203—2 modern warm, well furnished rooms

MAIN ST N, 1043—2 modern unfurnished rooms

MAIN ST W 845—Modern furnished light housekeeping rooms Main 1705

MAIN ST W 1022—2 modern furnished rooms garage Main 1858

MARIETTA E, 350—2 furnished rooms Ground floor Private entrance

MARIETTA ST, E, 1151—2 furnished rooms ground floor private entrance Heat and light furnished Near bus line

MORGAN ST, N 1429—Two furnished rooms Ground floor private entrance

NORTH ST, W 271—3 unfurnished rooms downstairs sink in kitchen Adults

OAKLAND AVE N 420—2 nicely furnished front rooms, thoroughly modern Main 1713

PACKARD ST, W 687—2 or 3 newly furnished rooms private home

PRAIRIE AVE E 1451—2 modern housekeeping rooms Also garage Fairview 2256

UNION ST S, 322—2 modern furnished light housekeeping rooms

WAGGONER ST W 829—3 modern unfurnished rooms Couple Garage Call after 5 p m Main 860

WATER ST N 525—Large room with kitchen privilege for married couple.

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WILLHILL F S—If you want to buy sell or exchange property of any kind see us 318 Citizens Bank Building Main 1662

WRIGHT W G—Real estate dealer city property and farm lands sold and exchanged 413 Millikin Building Main 950

Farms and Land For Sale. 83

TRUCK AND CHICKEN FARM—Five acres 7 miles northeast of Decatur 1/4 after mile Sangamon interurban station 4 room house garage poultry houses 100 cherry trees acre strawberries Price $4,000 Terms Owner 3112 Magnolia Ave St Louis Mo

100 ACRE FARM—Well improved near Decatur Must be seen to be appreciated Let us show you this right away See J T Pierce 133 E Prairie Main 6862 or 4 ... for price and terms

360 ACRES—Ozark Ranch, Barry County Mo Improved Good timber Good Springs Write for description $15 00 per acre James L Burke Baxter Springs Kansas

Houses For Sale 84

CANTRELL ST E —New colonial bungalow of 5 rooms Long living room Oak floors Full lot $4 450 $500 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

CENTER E 515—Well kept 4 room cottage on full lot with garage A cozy home for small family Give us your offer Phone Main 1100

CLEVELAND AVE —room cottage Near modern Full lot Garage Paved street $3 000 $800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

CONDIT ST E —On pavement 6-room house Part modern Full lot $2 700 $500 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

CUSHING AVE —5 room colonial bungalow Will take vacant lot on this Also new 5 room modern bungalow $1 750 $500 down J T Pierce 133 E Prairie Main 6862

DECATUR ST W —9 rooms Many built in features Attic finished $8 800 W R Schroeder Fair 1037 or Main 48

DECATUR ST, W 1300 BLOCK—7 rooms all modern Concrete basement Concrete drive and garage Full lot Very attractive terms Camp & Emrich 202 Neustadt Bldg Main 2544

DECATUR ST W 1575—A beautiful new 5 room bungalow Modern throughout Hardwood floors fireplace beautiful electric fixtures Walls decorated XXth Century furnace Concrete drive and garage We will make terms to suit you Joe Lukey & Son, Main 6484 or 6337

DIVISION ST E 763—4 rooms part modern house $50 down balance monthly Call 7... N Water

DIVISION ST W —New 5 room modern bungalow Hardwood floors Many built in features Full lot $5 250 $700 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale. 84

DIVISION ST W —Five-room modern bungalow full lot garage terms Frank L Clark 418 West Wood Fairview 1049

EDWARD ST —Corner lot Paved both ways Nearly new 6 room modern bungalow Has many built in features Full concrete basement Garage $ 500 $ 800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

EDWARD ST N —6 room brick bungalow In new up-to-date bungalows northwest 7 rooms modern close in on N College $ 600 A C Allen Main 427

FOREST AVE W —room partly modern Garage Full lot $1 500 Bargain C E Fairview 67

FOUR ST S —Fine bungalow All modern Long living room East front Priced low Main 476

GREEN ST W —5 room cottage Modern except bath Full lot Garage Paved street $2 600 $1 100 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

KING ST —Close to Water St 7 room modern except heat 4 bedrooms Full lot with garage $3 800 $700 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

LEAFLAND AVE E —Close in 8 room part modern On full lot Paved street $3 250 $1 100 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

MAIN ST E —Nearly ... facing boulevard 5 room modern cottage Full concrete basement Full lot Garage $4 000 Half cash Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

MAIN ST E — room cottage ... modern Large rooms Well decorated Oak floors Concrete basement ... heat Full lot Garage $2 850 $800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

MAIN ST N —Nearly new 5 room modern bungalow Many built in features including breakfast alcove Full lot Garage $5 000 $800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

MAIN ST N —6 rooms partly modern $8 000 $300 down W E Gregg 620 Gushard Bldg Main 330

MONROE ST N —Close in 13 room apartment house Full lot 5 car garage $7 250 Half cash Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

NORTH PART—Have good 6 room modern home Newly painted new roof new hardwood floors On full lot south front Price $ ... $800 down balance monthly H L Cannon 145 Merchant Main 3214

NORTH ST E —New ... room modern bungalow All large well decorated rooms Hardwood floors Built in features $4 700 $1 000 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

NORTHWEST—6 room house Part modern On full corner lot Garage $... Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

WEST ... room ... modern Three large bedrooms Well ventilated ... $7 000 $600 ... Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

OAK CREST 27—4-room house full basement modern except bath tub ... $1 000 cash and terms Moving to farm must sell by Jan 1 Call on Fairview 2461

OAKDALE AVE N —900 Blk 4 room house Call Main 6698

WOOD ST E — room modern bungalow on paved street ... Garage ... W E Gregg 620 Gushard Bldg Main 330

WOOD ST W —... room ... house Full lot with garage Suitable for roomers Price $6 250 $1 500 down balance monthly H F Cannon 145 Merchant St Main 3214

WOOD ST W —6 rooms modern In fine location Only $7 500 W E Gregg 620 Gushard Bldg Main 330

BUNGALOW—Modern built in features paved street full lot, garage Main 1 05

CLOSE IN—And nicely located Nearly new 5 room modern bungalow Full lot Garage $4 800 $800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

EAST—Beautiful new bungalow All modern Hardwood floors East front Half block off East Wood St pavement Small down payment Main 450

EAST—3 modern 5 room bungalows and one 5 room cottage on or near pavement $1 000 down balance monthly Hitzenfield & Holt 211 N Main M 110

EAST END BARGAIN—5 room modern house oak floors On large corner lot $4 000 buys it with $500 down It's worth $4 750 Also 6 room modern house close in $4 500 W T Pickle 146 E Main St Main 16...

EAST SIDE—I have a bargain in a 6 room modern bungalow Paved street full lot garage $800 down For appointment call W E Gregg 620 Gushard Bldg Main 330

FIVE ROOM HOUSE—For sale eight lots good outbuildings garage well and cistern one and one-half blocks from Main St For description and price write box 75 Patoka Ill

FOUR ROOMS—Partly modern barn garage three lots Five rooms partly modern two lots Six rooms partly modern barn fruit berries five acres attached J H Park Harristown Ill

HOMES—In all parts of the city If you want to buy a home see me for real values priced right M E Harvell 313 N Main St Main 3720

HOUSES—2 six-room houses part modern $200 down balance as rent E W Niles Main 881

NEAR UNIVERSITY—8 room modern steam heat hardwood floors down good location for home Two rooms are rented for $25 00 per month In A-1 repair Price $6 500 Phone Lyons & Oldweiler Main 1080 J

NORTH PART—Cozy 4 room cottage Part modern On full lot Garage $2 400 Half cash Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

NORTHWEST—Fine 5 room bungalow Long living room Built in features All modern Full lot $800 down Balance like rent Main 498

NORTH WEST—New 5-room modern bungalow Oak floors and built in features $4 200 $800 down Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

NORTHWEST—Three Christmas bungalows Two have never been occupied All modern with garages Everything up to-date Best of materials and construction H A Britton Main 1112

SOUTHEAST—Excellent 6 room house with two lots South front Lots of fruit trees Very small down payment and $30 per month Main 450

WEST—Very good 7-room house All modern All large rooms New furnace Built in cabinet Five rooms and bath down Two up Full lot Garage South front One block to two bus lines $500 down Balance $37 per month Main 195

WEST PART—In exclusive location New 5 room modern bungalow Long living room Fireplace French doors Breakfast alcove Full lot Garage $7 500 Terms Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 963

$300 DOWN—Buys three-room cottage northeast part full lot, electric lights, gas, fruit in yard Price $2,000 E. Drobisch Jr 116 Merchant St Main 2047

Lots For Sale. 85

CHURCH ST N —1600 Blk Vacant lot By owner R Hoffer 1612 N Church

DECATUR ST W —600 Blk Good lot Paving paid Also several in north part Call me if you want a lot Harry Cannon 145 Merchant St Main 3214

HICKORY ST E —Vacant lot Will trade for late model Ford coupe Main 4714

LINDEN PLACE & W MAIN ST.—Fine corner lot 112x115 Will divide See Roy Cope New Suffern Bldg

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Lots For Sale

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FEWER USING DECATUR CIGARS

Number Employees Grows Smaller.

ONCE BIG INDUSTRY

Now Turn Out 1,500,000 Smokes a Year.

What about Decatur made cigars? Are Decatur smokers allowing to die out, what was once a very thriving industry here? Have they quit the cigar for the pipe and cigaret or are they simply not patronizing home industry?

One thing sure, unless Decatur smokers do a better job of patronizing home trade, the rolling of these smokes is doomed to become a lost art as far as Decatur is concerned. Decatur smokers are not keeping as many cigarmakers employed in Decatur shops now as they did ten years ago—yes even twenty years ago.

TWENTY IN DECATUR.

Secretary Nihart of the Decatur local union of cigarmakers reports there are now but fifty-four cigarmakers in the Decatur jurisdiction and of this number only twenty are making cigars in Decatur, thirteen are making cigars in small towns around here and twenty-one or almost that number are claimed to find some other sort of work to make a living as there is no work for them here at their trade. Those figures cover all shops in Decatur but one and it is said to be the only shop not employing union work. It is understood this shop uses but one man and several girls.

121 TEN YEARS AGO.

Ten years ago, Charley Wright, then secretary of the cigarmakers was quoted as saying that 121 cigarmakers were employed in the jurisdiction at that time and that was the fewest that had been employed for years. Ten years prior to that which would have been twenty years ago or back in 1901 there were 175 cigarmakers employed in the jurisdiction and they were about all at work at the trade. Eleven years ago or in 1913, the greatest number were employed here, a total of 11[illegible].

1,500,000 CIGARS A YEAR

"A very close estimate" says Secretary Nihart "as shown by our books, shows about 1,500,000 cigars made in Decatur from Jan. 1 to Dec. 1 this year. About 1,000,000 of these are made in Decatur and the rest in the jurisdiction outside Decatur. The figures run right close to 150,000 a month in the jurisdiction for a month and the number for December does not figure as much as one might expect because of Christmas. Our December list will probably run about [illegible].

"If our smokers, if they would patronize home industry, would double the output of cigars in Decatur for a year. They should consider this and at the same time consider that they are support wage-earners who make their homes in Decatur. Practically everyone of them has a family and they live in Decatur."

Men's Suits Pressed 50c

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Obtain now from your neighborhood druggist Dr. Pierce's Family Remedies. Write Dr. Pierce, Pres., Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice, and send him 10c for a trial pkg., of any of his medicines.

Wash Tubs Number 2 galvanized wash tubs—regular price 89c. Monday until noon, sale price, **59c**

Boilers Regular $2 extra large size galvanized Wash Boilers Monday until noon—sale price, **$1.59**

Boilers Regular $2.50, 14 oz copper bottom, IX tin Wash Boilers Monday until noon—sale price. **$1.98**

Combinets Regular $1.50 gray granite combinets, with cover and bail, sale price Monday all day, **$1.00**

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICE

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Stewart Satisfaction in Every Purchase—Which Means Your Satisfaction or Your Money Back.

Oil Mops Regular $1 large size oil mops and a 25c bottle of oil Monday we sell both for **89c**

Dish Pans Regular 69c gray granite dish pans, full 14 quart size, sale price Monday, **49c**

Brooms Regular $1 four-sewed house brooms made of best Illinois broom corn, sale price, **79c**

Coal Hods Regular 69c galvanized coal hods, full 17 inch size, Monday sale price **49c**

GREATEST COAT AND DRESS SALE

Ever Known In Decatur

Prices Reduced 33⅓ to 50%

Buy Now At January Prices

Sale Continues All Week

UP TO $15 COATS	Now $7.50	UP TO $15 FROCKS	Now $8.95
UP TO $35 COATS	Now $18.00	UP TO $25 FROCKS	Now $12.95
UP TO $45 COATS	Now $25.00	UP TO $35 FROCKS	Now $14.95
UP TO $55 COATS	Now $39.00	UP TO $50 FROCKS	Now $22.00
UP TO $85 COATS	Now $49.00	UP TO $65 FROCKS	Now $32.50
UP TO $95 COATS	Now $59.00	UP TO $75 FROCKS	Now $39.50
UP TO $125 COATS	Now $69.00	UP TO $100 FROCKS	Now $49.50

FUR COATS

A representative of one of America's foremost manufacturers will be with us all day Monday with a complete line of Fur Coats, Scarfs, etc.

Your are invited to inspect this line without any obligation to buy.

Reliable guaranteed fur coats, up to the minute in style, Marmot, Australian Seal, Squirrel, Hudson Seal, Mole, Broadtail and Sable Coats priced at Remarkable Savings. We guarantee every transaction, both price and quality.

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Gift Suggestions Wonderful Values for $1

White Ivory

A great sale of Beautiful White Ivory—heavy weight immaculate White Ivory, best quality, highest grade and finest finish — including French Ivory Combs, Trays O. Boxes, and H. Receivers Buffers, P. Cushions, Bottles, B. Vases, H. Pin Cases, Manicure Sets and Jewel Boxes..... **$1**

75c Box Stationery, 2 for	$1
$1.50 Box Stationery, a box	$1
25c Women's Handkerchiefs, 5 for	$1
15c Women's Handkerchiefs, 8 for	$1
19c Men's plain white Handkerchiefs, 6 for	$1
75c Men's and boys' silk ties, 2 for	$1
$1.50 Men's silk ties	$1
$1.50 Men's tie and handkerchief set	$1
$1.50 men's Hosiery sets	$1
$1.39 Women's Garter Sets	$1
$1.50 Women's toilet good sets	$1
$1.25 Leather gloves a pair	$1
$1.50 Women's Umbrellas	$1
$1.39 Boys' leather mittens	$1
$1.50 Silk Boudoir Caps	$1
$1.50 Women's Neck Wear	$1
$1.50 Boys' Grey Sweater Coats	$1
$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts	$1
$1.50 Box Handkerchiefs	$1
69c Silver Hot Dish Pads, 2 for	$1
$1.50 Electric Torchiers	$1
$2.00 Omar Pearl Beads, a strand	$1

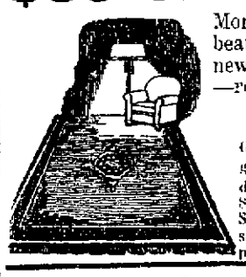
Domestic Bargains

20c full bleached yard wide Hope Muslin, 8 yds.	$1
$1.50 Blankets, Plaids, grays and tans, each	$1
$1.69 81x90 Bleached Seamless Sheets	$1
15c unbleached yard wide Muslin, 10 yards	$1
9-4 full bleached sheeting, all you want, 2½ yds.	$1
20c yd. wide unbleached muslin, 7 yds.	$1
75c Fancy baby robe blankets, blue and pink, 2 for	$1
45c pillow tubing in all widths, 3 yds.	$1
25c heavy unbleached crash toweling, 5 yds.	$1
35c turkish towels, double strength, 4 for	$1
69c extra large plain or fancy bath towels, 2 for	$1
69c mercerized table damask, 2 yds.	$1
$1.25 round or square table cloths	$1
$1.39 blue and white Japanese lunch cloth, 60x60	$1
25c yard wide percales, fast colors, 7 yards	$1
25c new Fall dress ginghams, 6 yards	$1
25c best quality cheviot shirting, 5 yards	$1
22c apron ginghams, fast colors, 7 yards	$1
25c yard wide cretonne or comfort challies, 5 yds.	$1
65c genuine White Rose quilt bats, 2 for	$1
18c plain white outing flannel, 7 yards	$1
$1.50 Quilted Comfort Bats, 72x90 each	$1
35c white or fancy yard wide outing 4 yards	$1

A Great Sale of Silk Hosiery

Monday we place on special sale upwards of 1000 pairs of the renowned Punctureproof silk hosiery; made of the finest Japanese silk and rayon with mercerized silk lisle tops, every pair guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction. Exquisite color shades and raven black, purest dye, colors fast and sanitary. Fashion shaped knitted permanently. They are wonderful values, surpassing any and all hosiery in Decatur priced $1.25 to $1.50 a pair, Monday sale price a pair..... **$1**

$39-9x12 Axminster Rugs, $25



Monday we place on special sale upwards of 50 beautiful Axminster room size rugs, 9x12; all new patterns, Genuine Alexander Smith and Son—regular $39 Axminster rugs, sale price..... **$25.00**

CONG. RUGS Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum rugs, 9x12 Borderless regular price $12.50. Monday at Stewart's, sale price **$9.95**

W. SHADES Regular 55c Opaque cloth window shades, 6 foot shades in green, tan or gray, Monday at Stewart's sale price each **49c**

CURTAINS Monday we place on special sale 200 pairs of dainty barred marquisette curtains with tie backs, regular $1.50 curtains, sale price a pair **$1**

$7 Blankets for $4.95

Monday we place on special sale upwards of 00 pairs of warm downy wool blankets, genuine Nashua Woolnap blankets and two in one omfortable blankets, great large size blankets, 0x80, 72x80 and 76x80, 76x84—all regular 6.50, $7.00 and $7.50 values, sale price..... **$4.95**

Army Blankets Monday we place on special sale 500 good heavy warm army blankets 64 by 76, worth $1.75 sale price **$1.00**

Blankets Soft, silky fleeced blankets, gray and tan, regular price $2 a pair, to undersell all competition, sale price a pair, **$1.49**

Blankets Regular $4 blankets beautiful plaids, extra large double bed size blankets, Stewart's sale price a pair, **$2.98**

Blankets Genuine Nashua plaid blankets, size 72x80, worth regularly $5 to $6 a pair, Stewart's underselling price a pair, **$3.98**

Comforts Large size bed comforts filled with sanitary white cotton covered with fancy silkoline; worth $4, sale price, **$2.98**

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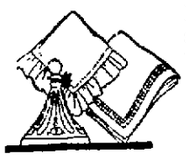
Sale of Gloves

$1.50 to $2.50 Values $1

Upwards of 1,000 pairs, including all the latest and newest chamoisette, and silk gloves in two clasp and gauntlet and 16-button length; all the new shades; all regular $1.50, $2, and $2.50 values. Buy your Christmas gloves Monday. Extra salespeople to wait on you. sale price, a pair **$1**

Sale of Handkerchiefs



Beginning Monday, we place on special sale upwards of 2,000 dozen women's, misses, men's and children's handkerchiefs, a great many put up in beautiful Christmas boxes, lovely, dainty lace trimmed and embroidered handkerchiefs an endless variety, wonderful values.

5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c and Up

For Monday Only

Special Purchase and Sale of 450 Pairs Felt Boudoir Slippers—Regular $1.25 Values

SALE PRICE A PAIR **73c**

$1.25 Value They are ribbon trimmed, have silk pompom, heavy padded chrome leather soles, a variety of colors, not every size in every style but most all sizes in the lot; our regular $1.25 value; so come early and be sure and get your size.

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